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BURNED TO ASHES.

Horrible Fate of Guests of a Pennsylvania Hotel.

HOLOCAUST BRINGS DEATH TO THREE

The Remains of Two of the Victims Were Gathered Up, but Not Enough of Them Found to Fill a Cigar Box.

OIL CITY, Pa., Oct. 25.—Three persons were burned to death and seven more severely injured in a fire that destroyed the Hotel Brooklyn at Kelletville, 25 miles southeast of Oil City, yesterday morning. The building was a three story one, roughly built of double boards, and burned like tinder.

When the firemen first discovered it there were 17 persons asleep in the hotel. The fire, which had originated on the second floor of the building, shut off all retreat from rooms on the floors above.

Six men on the second floor and five on the third saved themselves by jumping from the windows to the ground below, but not without severe burns or hurts. Those killed are:

Professor Tucker, aged about 65 years, who traveled about the country giving stereopticon sketches, and is supposed to have come from Sewickly, near Pittsburg.

Andrew Salsgiver of Tionesta, a mail carrier, aged 21 years and partially paralyzed.

Miss Kate Miller of Kelletville, aged 19 years.

Miss Emma Kiser, a teacher in the Kelletville schools, was so badly burned about the face and body and so severely injured by jumping from the second story of the hotel that she may die.

What remained of the bodies of Tucker and Salsgiver was gathered together and was not enough to fill an ordinary cigar box. Fire is supposed to have originated by Professor Tucker knocking over a lamp in his bedroom, as he had the toothache and used the lamp for making hot applications.

Magowan Can Remain a While Longer.

TRENTON, Oct. 25.—Chancellor McGill at his home in Jersey City has refused to grant an order restraining Sheriff Ashmore from executing the writ of assistance granted by Vice Chancellor Reed on Friday. The writ of assistance directed the sheriff to forcibly eject ex-Mayor Frank Magowan from his North Clinton avenue mansion and turn the property over to the purchasers who bought it at sheriff's sale. In refusing the order Chancellor McGill expressed the opinion that the appeal taken by Magowan acted as a stay of the writ of assistance. This means that Magowan will be permitted to stay in the house until the court of appeals has passed upon the case, and it does not meet for some weeks. The plan of the purchasers of the house is to remove the furniture, which was replevined on Friday, and thus leave Magowan in an empty house.

Wife No. 2 Outwits No. 1.

TRENTON, Oct. 25.—The death of Edward Ellis, a potter, has developed the fact that he had a wife living in East Liverpool, O., whom he deserted in 1877. Ellis was living with a woman in Trenton who was supposed to be his wife. Notice of the death reached the East Liverpool wife, and she came to Trenton and took out letters of administration on the estate of Ellis, which included a house and furniture. One night last week the furniture was removed from the house, and detectives are looking for the woman whom Ellis had been living with in Trenton, they claiming that the furniture was removed by her.

Death by River Overflowing.

ROME, Oct. 25.—The river Tronto, in central Italy, which enters the Adriatic east of Ascoli, has overflowed, flooding the plain of Ascoli. At Chiaravalle a bridge has been swept away. Several persons have been drowned at Forli, and near Mendola a house collapsed, burying nine persons in the ruins. Floods are reported in various other localities.

Shot While Out Gunning.

FALL RIVER, Mass., Oct. 25.—While squirrel hunting on the Gifford farm, across the pond from this city, David St. George, 23 years old, was fatally shot by his brother Clement, aged 25. The two, with another brother, had gone into the woods for squirrels and had just shot one. Mr. Gifford, the owner of the land, was attracted by the shot and ordered them off. As they started away, David, who was walking ahead, turned to speak to Clement just as the latter lowered his shotgun to take out an empty shell. The trigger caught in his clothing, and the other barrel of the gun was discharged, the full charge lodging in David's abdomen, tearing a fearful hole. The latter was brought to this city and died late yesterday afternoon. He leaves a widow and four children.

Repairs Suspended For Lack of Funds.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—In his annual report to the secretary of the navy Philip Hichborn, chief constructor of the navy, says that the strength of the navy on Oct. 1 was 141 vessels all told, including the ships of both old and new navy. It is stated that during the last few months of the last fiscal year a considerable amount of work upon vessels that had been authorized by congress had to be suspended owing to lack of funds. This caused a heavy drain upon the new appropriations at the beginning of the present fiscal year and makes the exhaustion of those appropriations before the 1st of next July almost certain.

Boat Capsized and Sailor Drowned.

WINFORD, R. I., Oct. 25.—James Sullivan of the battleship Massachusetts was drowned off the cliff at Narragansett pier by the capsizing of a boat. Sullivan and a companion named Robert Neagel of Boston were on their way to New York in a sailboat procured in Newport, and the boat in gybing upset. Neagel reached the shore in an exhausted condition, but his companion was drowned. Neagel states that the pair, being short of funds, started with the sailboat hoping to reach New York before the expiration of Sullivan's furlough, which was nearly up.

Fell Through a Window.

DANBURY, Conn., Oct. 25.—John Hallisy, head of a hat manufacturing business in Lincoln avenue, had a narrow escape from death last night, which narrowly escaped being a tragedy. As he was passing through his sitting room he accidentally fell heavily against a window and went through. The glass severed an artery of his throat, but the prompt arrival of medical aid prevented him from bleeding to death. He is in a very weak condition, but it is thought will recover.

Carson Found Guilty of Bribery.

MASCOUTAH, Ills., Oct. 25.—President James Carson of the Illinois Coal Miners' union was found guilty of bribery in connection with the recent strikes and asked to resign. He was charged with having accepted money from operators, for which he was expected to have certain miners resume work, regardless of the scale paid.

Nobleman's Narrow Escape.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Lord Douglass of Hawick and Tibbers, Scotland, was in the Central wreck. He was coming from Toronto with S. D. Wilkinson of London. When the crash came and the coaches were thrown into the water Lord Douglass, assisted by Mr. Wilkinson, managed after great difficulty to get out of the coach. It was much more difficult than it would otherwise have been because of a lame leg which Lord Douglass suffered from, the result of a recent accident. Lord Douglass came to this city and is now with friends at a private residence.

Architect's Sudden Death.

OGDENSBURG, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Architect William J. Akin, assistant to State Architect I. G. Perry and resident architect and building superintendent of the St. Lawrence State hospital, died at his home after a two days' illness of inflammation of the bowels. The deceased was also one of the superintendents of construction of the New York city postoffice building.

AWFUL AWAKENING.

Terrible Accident on the New York Central Railroad.

MANY PEOPLE DROWNED LIKE RATS.

Long Train With a Hundred Persons on Board Plunges Over an Embankment and Several Passenger Coaches Sink In Fifty Feet of Water.

GARRISONS, N. Y., Oct. 25.—From the sleep that means refreshment and rest to eternal sleep that knows no waking plunged in the twinkling of an eye yesterday morning 28 souls, men, women and children. Into the slimy bed of the Hudson river a train laden with slumbering humanity plunged, dragging through the waters the helpless passengers.

There was nothing to presage the terrible accident which so suddenly deprived these unfortunates of life. The New York Central train left Buffalo and had progressed for nearly nine-tenths of the distance toward its destination. The engineer and his fireman had just noted the gray dawn breaking in the east and the light streak of red betokening the sun's appearance when, with the great engine, a servant on the rails, a devil off, they plunged into the depths of the river. Neither engineer nor fireman will ever tell the story of that terrible moment, for with his hand upon the throttle the engineer plunged with his engine to the river bottom, and the fireman, too, was at his post. Behind them came the express car, the combination car and the sleepers, and these piled on top of the engine.

Then there happened what on the railroad at any other time would have caused the disaster, but now proved a very blessing. As the train plunged over the embankment the coupling that held the last three of the six sleepers broke, and they miraculously remained on the broken track. In that way some 80 lives were saved.

Of eye witnesses there were none except the crew of a tugboat passing with a tow.

They saw the train with its lights as it came flashing about the curves and then saw the greater part of it go into the river. Some of the cars with closed windows floated, and the tug, whistling for help, cast off its hawser and started to the rescue. A porter jumped from one of the cars that remained on the track and ran into the yard of Augustus Kah's house, near where the accident occurred, and stood screaming for help and moaning, "The train is in the river! All our passengers are drowned!" In a few minutes Kah had dressed himself and, getting a boat, rowed with the porter to the scene. As they turned a point in the bank they came upon the express car and the combination car floating about 20 feet from the shore, but sinking every minute. One man was taken from the top of the car, and efforts were made to rescue those inside who might be alive. A few were got out, the passengers left upon the track making a human bridge to the shore to take the wounded over on. The day coach and smoker had gone down in the deeper water, and rescue was impossible. The car turned completely over, and the passenger end of it was in the deep water, while the baggage end stood up toward the surface. The men in the lower end must have fought like demons for a brief period, for the bodies when taken out were a mass of wounds.

The train was hauled by engine 872 and consisted of one American Express car, one composite baggage and smoking car, one day coach and six sleepers. This was the makeup of the train when it left Poughkeepsie, the last stopping place before the disaster.

At this time there were in the smoker, in addition to the baggageman, Herman Acker of Peekskill, who was in his compartment; eight Chinamen en route from the Canadian border to New York and a middle aged man identified as Thomas Reilly of 2860 Lisbon avenue, St. Louis. All of these excepting the baggagemaster perished. The day coach contained 18 or 20 passengers, many of whom were women and children.

How many of these escaped is not known, but at least 12 were drowned or killed in this car. Behind the coach were the six sleepers—the Glenalpine, with 15 passengers; the Hermes, with 12 passengers; the Niobe, with 11; the Diana, with about 15; Anita, nearly full, and the Racket River, with no passengers. The total cargo of human freight consisted of something over 100 people.

Conductor Parish, who was in charge of the train and who was making up his report in one of the cars when the crash came, was rendered unconscious by a blow on the head. When he recovered he was three seats ahead of the one in which he had been sitting.

Two other express trains were following close behind the ill fated State express, and the engine of one of them was sent to Garrisons for General Manager J. M. Toucey, who lives there, while the other engine hurried to Peekskill for medical aid. Mr. Toucey was the first official of the railroad at the scene. The engine which brought him there steamed to Cold Spring and returned with Drs. Winslow, Fillebrown and Murdock. In the meantime Drs. Charles and Perley Mason, J. N. Tilden, P. C. Sowden and E. D. Lynn had arrived, and all the doctors were soon at work among the injured.

Of the dramatic horror or the situation in the combination car when it left the track and struck the water, perhaps the best account is had in the story of Herman Acker of Peekskill, the baggageman and mail sorter. Acker was suffering badly from shock when seen, but the scenes he graphically described. He said:

"John Shaw, agent for the Westcott Express company, and myself were in the compartment, when suddenly there was a terrible bump and then a rush of water that forced us toward the ceiling. The car seemed to turn completely over and had filled with water to about a foot from the top. When we struck, the car whirled completely around, the end which the Chinese occupied being under water, while our end was tilted up. We swam around and got a ventilator open and, noting the situation, took an ax from a tool box which was afloat and smashed a panel in the end of the car. We crawled through the hole to the roof of the car, and a rowboat came out and took us ashore."

Acker has been a railroader many years and has escaped from three serious accidents. His arm is badly cut and his body bruised. Shaw escaped injury.

The first victim of the disaster found was lying on the shore dying. He was badly bruised about the head and body, and his right arm was cut off near the shoulder, the bleeding stump alone showing. The member was not found. The man was placed on a train and taken to Peekskill, but died on the way. The body was that of a middle aged man about six feet tall, weighing about 180 pounds.

Five men were rescued from the top of a floating car a few minutes after the accident. They were put on a train and taken to Peekskill, about 10 miles down the road. They were admitted to the Helping Hand hospital, where their wounds were dressed. Of the five, three were Chinamen, and none was fatally injured. The Americans were: John E. Ryan of 294 Barrow street, Jersey City, 20 years old, badly lacerated hand, shoulder and knee; Clarence Morgan of Aurora, N. Y., aged 28, clerk in the office of comptroller of the New York Central railroad, broken shoulder. The three Chinamen were suffering from bad scalp wounds. Morgan escaped from a floating car through a broken panel and swam ashore. Though badly hurt, he helped another passenger out.

W. S. Langford of Bayonne, N. J., was in one of the last coaches, which remained on the track. He secured an ax, and, chopping out a panel of one of the partly submerged cars, he helped to rescue four people.

James J. Corbett and the members of "The Naval Cadet" company were on the first south bound train to arrive at the scene after the accident. Gentleman Jim and his sparring partner, John McVey, did good service in rescuing the injured passengers from the wrecked cars and assisted in removing the dead.

Corbett and McVey climbed to the top of one of the coaches and with axes obtained from their train cut an opening in the roof. They removed a Chinaman who was badly injured. They also took two dead bodies from the car. Joseph Eagan and several members of Corbett's company aided in the work.

Mr. Eagan says that it was by a narrow chance that his company escaped being on the wrecked train.

General Manager Toucey gave the following statement as to the cause of the disaster:

"The accident was caused by the bed of the railroad being washed out in some inexplicable manner. In this undermined state the track sank as soon as the weight of the train was put on it, and the embankment giving way, the train was of course precipitated into the river. Such condition as this we have never looked for. Trains have been running over this spot for years and years without accident or difficulty of any kind, and this piece of track was considered as good as any section of the railroad. Not only was the roadbed the hardest kind of an embankment, but it was strengthened by a retaining water wall of solid masonry three feet thick."

Other railroad officials were of the opinion that a quicksand foundation of some kind below the water line was responsible for the sinking of the roadbed. It was also stated that there was an unusually high tide, and this may have had something to do with the weakening of the embankment. A number of curious spectators soon gathered at the scene, coming from the nearby towns and villages by trains, wagons, bicycles and boats. The number of morbidly curious steadily increased as the day wore on, and excursion boats even came from places far up and down the river, all loaded down to the water's edge, until there were fully 10,000 people about the wreck.

The dead are:

W. S. Becker, Newark, N. Y.; J. Foyle, engineer, East Albany, N. Y.; E. A. Greer, Chicago; Algernon C. McKay, private secretary of General Superintendent Van Etten, N. Y. C. and H. R. R., 129 West One Hundred and Twelfth street, New York; W. H. G. Myers, Tremont, N. Y.; Giuseppe Paquna, Albion, N. Y.; Thomas Reilly, St. Louis; J. Thompson, fireman; Samuel Williams, Buffalo, N. Y.; Thomas Parsons, New York; two unknown women, believed to be mother and daughter, two unknown men; eight Chinamen.

The injured are:

Herman Acker, Peekskill, baggagemaster, left arm broken, bruised, cut and shocked; home. Charles Buchanan, 415 West Forty-seventh street, railroad clerk, aged 20 years; wounds on arm, not serious; Flower hospital. John Flood, Stockport, N. Y., laborer, aged 23 years; bruised head, suffering from shock; Flower hospital. James Keegan, injured foot. Clarence Morgan, N. Y. C. R. R. employee, aged 28 years; shoulder broken, cut and bruised; Helping Hand hospital, Peekskill. —— Parish, conductor; slight injuries. John E. Ryan, Jersey City, druggist, aged 26 years; badly bruised, three fingers lost; will recover; Helping Hand hospital, Peekskill. Thomas Parsons, New York. John Smith, Buffalo, National Express agent, aged 46 years; wound in head and shock; Flower hospital. Three Chinamen, one of whom may die; Flower hospital. Two unknown men.

Old Newspaper Man Dead.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 25.—Joseph F. Robinson, insurance agent, died in this city of Bright's disease. He was city editor of the Middletown Argus 20 years and was a member of several orders.

THE MONETARY COMMISSION.

What It Is Likely to Do at Its Coming Session.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—When the monetary commission reconvenes on Nov. 2 it will be ready to begin the preparation of its currency measure and the report that will accompany it. The measure in itself will not be one of great length, and it is probable that the report instead of attempting to give a digest of all the suggestions and testimony before the commission will confine itself to a clear statement of facts and terse argument in support of the measure agreed upon.

The people generally have responded very freely to the invitation of the commission to contribute their views, and it has received in this way a very fair index of public opinion upon the subject in every section of the country. The "crank" letters have been very few. The great mass of the suggestions has come from men who have evidently given much careful study and intelligent thought to the currency question. The suggestions range from every possible phase of the subject, and almost every writer has some suggestion to make as to the place that silver should hold in the currency of the country.

A number of men suggest the acceptance of silver in unlimited quantities, with the issuance of certificates at market rates for the bullion, with redemption of these certificates when presented at ruling market rates. But the plain effect of this plan would be to make the silver certificate nothing more or less than a warehouse receipt, with the government acting as the warehouseman.

Other suggestions are that no paper money of less than $10 denomination be issued in any form, thus requiring a larger circulation of silver dollars and subsidiary coins. But the experience of bankers has been that the small notes have an enormous popularity. Several men suggest the coinage of a monetary unity composed of a combination of gold and silver, and others suggest simply the issuance of certificates representing gold and silver ingots.

This would contemplate a gold ingot unit and a silver ingot unit, and whether the government simply issued a certificate or coined the metal, its only connection with the currency would be to guarantee the weight and fineness of the metal. Such a plan as this would, of course, cause an enormous amount of confusion in the future settlement of existing contracts.

PROTECTING HIS BODY.

Ghouls Will Have a Hard Time to Get at Pullman's Coffin.

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Ghouls will not steal the body of George M. Pullman unless they blast through concrete and asphalt as hard as granite and burst steel rails capable of holding up a modern skyscraper.

The body of the magnate was placed in a lead lined coffin covered with tar paper and rested upon a bed of cement 1½ feet thick in a grave 8 feet deep, 9 wide and 12 feet long.

An inch of asphaltum was placed under and around the coffin. Then the space at the head and sides were filled with concrete, which quickly hardened to stone.

Eight heavy steel "T" rails were laid across the top of the box, the ends resting on the concrete walls at either side and their lower surfaces clearing the asphaltum covering by half an inch, the distance to which the side walls of concrete had been built above the asphaltum.

The rails were fastened together with two long iron rods which run parallel to the side of the lid of the coffin. More tar paper was then used to prevent the flow of concrete into the space between the rails and the asphaltum, and the walling was carried to the top.

Mr. Pullman's will has been read to the family by Mr. Runnells, the solicitor of the Pullman company and Mr. Pullman's attorney.

Neither Mr. Runnells nor any member of the family will make the details public. It is said that Robert T. Lincoln and Morgan B. Ream are the executors. These gentlemen also refused to speak of the details.

CONDENSED DISPATCHES.

Lucky rt, it is said, will be put on trial again this week.

John G. Lorimer, a noted journalist, died at Plymouth, Mass.

A woman has been acting governor of Idaho the past ten days.

A reception was given in New York to the arctic explorer Nansen.

James Knox, the well known turfman, committed suicide by shooting himself.

A man in Lyons, France, had 60,000 francs stolen from a safe in his house.

Miss Cisneros, the heroine of Havana, was tendered a fine reception in Washington.

The investigation into the Hammond case at Fort Sheridan is over, but no judgment given as yet.

A Norwood (Mass.) man named Bernard is held for murder because he abetted his wife's suicide.

A man named McCormick dropped dead at the Ironia race track just as the horse he had backed won.

A Convict May Be the Murderer.

ADRIAN, Mich., Oct. 25.—Prosecuting Attorney Bird and Sheriff Ferguson say they are certain that they have located the man who brutally murdered Lafayette Ladd early on the morning of April 17. He is said to be John Higgins, alias William Woodford, now serving out a sentence of one year in the penitentiary at Columbus, O., for burglary. Ladd awoke to find a burglar in his room. He partly rose, when the assassin fired. He died several hours afterward. The prosecuting attorney says that as soon as Higgins' term expires steps will be taken to have him turned over to the Lenawee county authorities on the charge of murder.

AS REGARDS CUBA.

Proposed Policy of Spain Toward the Belligerents.

WILL FOLLOW CLEVELAND'S ADVICE.

It Is Said the Rebels Will Be Granted Local Government Like American States Enjoy, With Universal Suffrage.

MADRID, Oct. 25.—The Spanish minister of the colonies, Senor Moret, made to the New York World correspondent yesterday the following statement of the new Liberal government's policy with reference to Cuba:

"The government purposes to carry out its programme and follow the advice President Cleveland and Secretary of State Olney vainly gave to Premier Canovas last year. Consequently Cuba will have local government, like any American state, with universal suffrage in the election of the municipal and provincial councils and the insular assembly or parliament.

"The last named body will be first elected this coming winter, directly the electoral lists are properly revised, and the courts of justice will pronounce upon the validity of the elections.

"The insular assembly will be composed of two houses and will have entire control of tariffs and taxation.

"The responsible government will be composed of five ministers. The cabinet councils will be presided over by the governor general, but he will have no right to veto.

"Cuba, as was contemplated in Gladstone's home rule scheme for Ireland, will continue to be represented in the Spanish cortes by senators and deputies.

"The imperial government and the cortes will retain control of the army, the navy, foreign affairs and the judiciary of the colony, which will defray the expenses of those departments.

"The insular parliament will be entirely elected by universal suffrage. In case of disagreement between the houses and the responsible local government there will be a right of appeal to the country, like the Swiss referendum, but for important matters only.

"The government is confident that all the Cuban parties will co-operate in the carrying out of this policy and expects much from the coolness and conciliatory spirit of Marshal Blanco."

Senor Moret counts especially upon the support not only of the Autonomists in Cuba and their representatives in Spain, but also of the Autonomists resident elsewhere in Europe.

Many Oppose Blanco.

MADRID, Oct. 25.—The Havana correspondent of The Imparcial says there is a dangerous condition of affairs in Cuba owing to the approaching departure of General Weyler and the proposal of the government to grant autonomy to the island. He says that there is a strong party which is fiercely opposed to the new regime and to Ramon Blanco, the newly appointed captain general, who is now en route to Havana.

Referring to the movements of the troops, the correspondent says that military operations are now confined to guarding trains and suppressing news that is unfavorable to the Spaniards. It has just leaked out that the insurgents last week attacked a party of guerrillas at Artemisa and slaughtered them with machetes.

There are now 40,000 sick and wounded soldiers in the hospitals. The authorities look with apathy upon the sufferings of the poor, whose only help is from private sources. The municipal authorities are exclusively occupied in a scandalous traffic in concessions.

Cubans of Mexico Impatient.

CITY OF MEXICO, Oct. 25.—The resident Cubans express much impatience at the slowness with which the United States acts in relation to affairs in Cuba. Recently arrived Cubans state that the cruelties committed by Spanish troops have not been exaggerated, and at the present time thousands of patriotics are literally starving. The Cubans complain that whenever they secure employment here the Spanish residents exert an influence to secure their discharge, and they can only look to the Americans and Mexicans for sympathy and aid in getting work.

Claims Hughes Was Not Robbed.

LONDON, Oct. 25.—The Madrid correspondent of The Daily Mail says:

"The Spanish naval forces in the Caribbean sea will be strengthened on the pretext of necessity for increased vigilance on the Cuban coast. General Weyler has cabled a denial of the report that Mr. Hughes, the correspondent of Black and White, was robbed. He says Hughes died of syncope and appeals to the testimony of the British consul at Havana for proof of his statement."

Looking For Spain's Reply.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—It is expected that Spain's reply to President McKinley's letter will be transmitted here by Minister Woodford tomorrow. The reply is said to be conciliatory and friendly, but, judging from the comment upon it expressed by the London dailies, it may prove the reverse.

World's Pacing Record Beaten.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—Searchlight, the 3-year-old son of Dark Knight, has beaten the world's pacing record of 2:09¼ for 3 year-olds, going the mile in 2:07 flat. The first quarter was in 0:34½, the half being reached in 1:02½. At the three-quarters the watch showed 1:35¼, and the mile was reached in 2:07.

Has Returned to Rome.

ROME, Oct. 25.—General William F. Draper, the United States embassador, returned to Rome yesterday.

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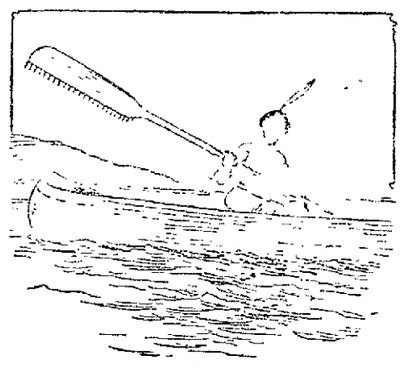
Effective Method of Fishing Practiced by the Siawash Indians.

The Siawash Indian who inhabits part of the state of Washington has a way of gathering in fish which, if primitive, is also remarkably effective. No mere rod and line or even net suffices for him. An instrument which looks as if it belonged in the London tower chamber of instruments of torture is his lure for the members of the finny tribe. It is a comb, but a comb of rather wonderful dimensions. It is a piece of cedar, 16 or 18 feet long, round like a pole about two-thirds of its length, the rest being shaped like the blade of



SIAWASH FISHERMAN.
(He Uses a Huge Comb Instead of Hook or Net.)

an ordinary table knife—indeed, the shape is similar throughout. Along the thin edge, or what would be the cutting edge of the knife, the Indian drives wire teeth, about an inch apart, and lets them stick out like the teeth of a comb about an inch. These wires he then files to a needle point, and his tackle is ready for business. He paddles out in his canoe until he locates a school of smelt or herring, and then—down goes the "comb" into the water and is swept backward and upward through the school of fish, impaling them sometimes by the dozen, and the Indian sweeps them up on top of the water, deftly swings his "comb" over his canoe and twists it over, the fish falling off into the boat. A wrinkled old Siawash will fill his canoe as full of prime herring as it will hold in half an hour. They catch the smaller fish for bait in the same way.

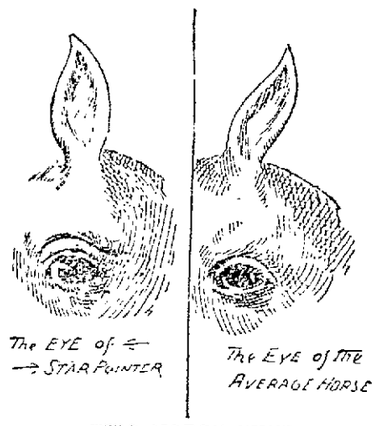
TOLD BY THE EYES.

How Horses Show Whether They Are Intelligent or Not.

As every one knows, there is as much difference in the brain power of horses as there is in men. The ordinary dray horse is much the inferior of the racer in point of intelligence, and in nothing more than in the expression of the animal's eyes is this difference noticeable.

It can been seen by a glance at the accompanying pictures that the eye of Star Pointer, the wonderful pacer who broke the record by pacing a mile in 1:59 1-4 at Readville park, Boston, when compared with the dull, expressionless eye of the average horse, is as different as a pineapple is from a church tower.

A New York Evening World artist caught Star Pointer's alert eye just as it looked when flashed on the multitude that watched the colt's remarkable performance on the Boston track. His eye is truly the window of Star Pointer's soul, if race horses have souls,



TWO HORSE EYES.
(They Indicate Intelligence and Dullness.)

and it reflects an intelligence rare even for a highly strung, nervous organization like that of this famous equine.

Not the eyes alone indicate a high order of intelligence in dumb brutes. The ears tell their story of an active mentality such as well-trained horses and dogs possess. The ears of a race horse are invariably correct, just as the eyes are brilliant. Not so the ordinary horse seen in the streets. Their ears droop and their eyes—well, the picture tells the story.

An Inventor's Reward.

A young man employed at $1.80 a day in one of the factories in New Britain, Conn., says the Springfield Republican, recently invented an attachment to a machine on which he was working which promises to be of great value. Four men were employed on this machine prior to his invention, and its use was about to be abandoned because of the expense attending the running of it. The young man devised an attachment, which when applied to the machine permitted one boy to attend it, and he can turn out as much work as the four men could previously. This machine is run regularly every day, and it is doing good work at a saving of six dollars a day over former cost. The president of the company gave the young man a check for $25.

New Breed of Sheep.

The agricultural department of the University of California is raising a new kind of sheep. The superintendent of the experiment station at Paso Robles has succeeded in breeding a variety of sheep that will mean much to the wool and meat market. It is the result of the cross-breeding of Persian and Merino. Experiments along the same line, though not so complete, were conducted by George Washington with marked advantage.

The Tribesmen Collecting.

SIMLA, India, Oct. 25.—According to dispatches received last night, the tribesmen are collecting in great force on both sides of Sempagha pass, where the next serious fighting is expected to take place. They are removing their women to safe points. Dispatches from Khan Ki valley report that the tribesmen poured a heavy fire into the camp, wounding a native officer and two men. Desultory fighting is reported in various directions. The work of bringing up transports through the Chagru pass has been attended with the greatest difficulty.

Booty Was Shipped as Medicine.

SCRANTON, Pa., Oct. 25.—Frank Baxter, Mike O'Neill and Harry Johnson, the jewelry thieves arrested in Chicago, were brought here by Chief of Police Robbins and Scranton detectives. The $1,700 worth of jewelry taken from the home of Superintendent Rogers of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western road was recovered intact. It had been shipped from here by express as "medicine." The trio [illegible] were arrested when they called for the package in Chicago. En route east they refused to discuss the case.

Confess to Many Thefts.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Frederick Roberts, alias Conrad, 19 years old, and James D. Andres, alias James Roberts, 25 years old, both of 16 Carmine street, who were arrested as the perpetrators of various robberies in Westchester county, confessed yesterday to the commission of all the crimes charged against them by citizens of White Plains, Larchmont and other places in the vicinity. They have been identified by a number of people, and much of the property they stole has been recovered.

Foster Caught at Last.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—William R. Foster, Jr., who fled from this city in 1888 and was charged with robbing the New York Produce Exchange of $133,000 was arrested at Neuilly, near Paris, by Scotland Yard detectives who had been tracking him to earn the $5,000 reward which the Produce Exchange had offered for his arrest.

Report on the Southern Plague.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 25.—Yesterday there were 24 new cases of yellow fever reported and three deaths. From Montgomery, Ala., comes the news of 18 additional cases. Mississippi towns have new cases as follows: Bay St. Louis, [illegible] 3; New Albany, 1.

World's Pacing Record Beaten.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—Searchlight, the 3-year-old son of Dark Knight, has beaten the world's pacing record of 2:09¼ for 3-year-olds, going the mile in 2:07 flat. The first quarter was in 0:32½, the half being reached in 1:02½. At the three-quarters the watch showed 1:33¼, and the mile was reached in 2:07.

Has Returned to Rome.

ROME, Oct. 25.—General William F. Draper, the United States embassador, returned to Rome yesterday.

Think of The Difference

between the nature of the cotton-plant and the habits of a hog, and you have the difference between Cottolene and lard. Cottolene is all that's pure and wholesome; lard has few redeeming features.

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makes your food light, crisp, digestible. Rightly used it greatly improves the food and the health of those who eat it.

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on the well watered and natural grass farm known as the Col. Little place, near Mt. Hope, on the Finchville road. Reasonable prices. Apply to CHARLES SHAW on the premises or at the office of this paper.

Removal Sale.

In order to reduce our large stock of Groceries and Provisions before moving, we will discount the price on all goods and give the buyers the benefit. We will sell

Can Corn at 5c., Can Beans 7c., Can Peas 6c., Condensed Milk 8c., 2 for 15c.; Domestic Sardines 6 for 25c., Imported Sardines 15c., Best Flour $5 50 and up, Soda Crackers 6 to 10c., Oyster Crackers 8, 10, 12c., Fischer Mills Superior Coffee 13c., 2 pounds for 25c; Tea Dust 15c, Extra Oolong and Young Hyson 25 to 50c., Good Soap 2c a cake.

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TOMPKINS' NEW DRY GOODS STORE,

No 8 East Main Street, Middletown.

Great Sale of Ladies' Jackets, Capes, Winter Underwear, Dress Goods and Silks. Beginning Monday, Oct. 25th, and continuing for one week. Tremendous stock of Jackets—Warm and unseasonable weather—They must go, they must move. The knife has been put in them. Prices cut deep for this great Cloak Sale. Besides Cloaks and Dress Goods, there will be hundreds of other attractions, so be sure and come.

Remnants of Outing Flannel.

10c quality, at sale 6c.

Remnants of Canton Flannel.

10c grade at sale 6c a yard.

Best Apron Check Ginghams

4½c. Best Indigo Blue Calico 4½c. Best Unbleached Muslin 5c.

Red and Blue Twilled Flannel.

30c quality at sale 25c., 25c quality at sale 20c., 50c quality at sale 25c

Sale of Mittens.

Ladies', Child's and Boys' Mittens, 10c quality at 10c a pair. Ladies', Child's and Boys' Mittens 20c quality, at sale 15c. Ladies', Misses and Boys' Mittens, 25c quality, at sale 18c a pair. Men's Leather Gloves, lined large lot, 25c a pair.

Ostrich Tips and Plumes.

500 Ostrich Plumes, 50c value, 15c each. 200 bunches of Tips, each consisting of three tips, worth 75c., at sale 25c a bunch. 200 bunches, each consisting of three large Tips, worth $1.25, at 50c a bunch

Ladies' Trimmed Sailors

and Soft Hats at low prices during Tompkins' sale.

Unlaundered Shirts.

Ten dozen Men's Fine Unlaundered Shirts. They are made of finest muslin, linen bosom and bands. At no place are they sold for less than 75c. At Tompkins' sale 50c each.

Greatest of Cloak Sales.

Never anything like it. If you who read this knew fully the facts we are going to set before you our new annex, No. 6 East Main street, would not hold the tenth part of the trade that will come.

To Turn Our Immense Stock

of Ladies' Jackets and Capes into cash read what we have done. The weather has been too warm. The cloak and cape stock is simply enormous. We are not going to take any chances. We are going to lighten the burden NOW. You will doubt your eyes when you read, but you may interpret every word literally. No matter how high your expectations may be raised by reading this advertisement you will not be disappointed when you come and see the goods. Now read on.

$5 Jackets for $3.75.

Cheviot, Beaver and Melton Cloth Jackets, made in latest style, storm collar, box fronts, bought to sell at $5, at sale $3.75 each.

$9 Jackets for $6.50.

Made of fine Devonshire Kersey, half lined with silk serge, new box shield front with flare rolling collars, new backs and sleeves, bought to sell for $9. At this cloak sale, to reduce stock, $6 50 each. All quotations are without exception for new goods of reliable quality. No matter how low prices may be, you can depend upon merit of goods.

A $10 Jacket for $8.50.

A beautiful quality of Black Jersey Cloth Jackets, in this season's most stylish shapes, shield front, large darling collar. Bought to sell for $10. At sale $8 50 each.

A $15 Jacket for $10.

Made of fine black Kersey and Beaver Cloth, strictly tailor finish, all satin lined, also black Persian, tight curl Caterpillar Bouncle Cloth Jackets, all new tailor made front and backs. All bought to sell for $15. At sale, to reduce stock, $10 each.

$18 Jackets for $12.50.

Handsome imported Black Melton Cloth Jackets, beautifully silk lined, notched collars, strapped seams. All bought to sell for $18. At this reduction sale $12 each.

Capes.

$1.75 Capes at $1.00

Ladies' Black Capes, full sweep, regular length, substantial, good looking and well made. Bought to sell for $1.75. At sale $1 each

$2.50 Cape for $1.50.

Ladies' Black Beaver Cloth Capes, fur trimmed, bought to sell for $2.50. At sale $1.50 each

A $4.50 Cape for $2.98.

Ladies' Melton Cloth Capes, fur and braid trimmed. Bought to sell for $4.50. At sale $2.98 each

$6.00 Capes for $4.75.

Two styles of fine Black Kersey Cloth tastefully braided and trimmed, one of black astrakhan, cloth lined, and interlined with Thibet, fur trimming around collar and down front, both have new empire backs and large storm collar. Bought to sell for $6. At sale $4.75 each.

$9.00 Capes for $6.00.

Handsome Black Wool Boucle Cloth Capes—28 inches long, very large sweep, satin rhadame lined, with warm interlining, cured around collar with Thibet fur. Bought to sell for $9. To reduce stock $6. Now can you afford to miss this cloak sale when you can save $2 50 to $3 on each garment you buy?

Fur Collarettes

Two special lots—One at $1.89, the other $2.25, worth $3 and $4 each.

Fur Trimming

at less than half price. Fine Black Thibet trimming 39c., worth 75c. Fine lined martin trimming 75c., worth $1 50. White Persian lamb trimming 15c., worth 50c. Black Coney trimming 8c a yard, worth 19c

Ladies Seperate Skirts

Tailor made, lined and interlined, velvet bound in the latest and in a selected assortment of new fall suitings. Note price for this sale.

Ladies Figured Brilliantine

Skirts $2 50 value, at sale $1 75 each. In fancy Bouckes at $2 25, in fine French suitings and two-toned effects at $3 50.

Child's Reefer Jackets

In novelty mixtures and plain cloths, empire back, deep sailor collars, braid trimmed, $2 98. Many other styles exclusive effects, dainty and new conceptions absolutely depend able qualities, priced for sale 8 week like never priced at any other time.

Dress Goods and Silks

A great sale to take place next week, that will bring the ladies of Middletown in touch with some of the season's choicest novelties, all of truly correct colors and patterns at the lowest prices you ever bought dress goods and silks for. Here is some moderate priced stuff that everybody uses and very elegant they are. The high priced imported styles are most cleverly imitated and the makers have crowded into them beauty and value that are truly remarkable.

All Wool Basket Cheviots

Sale's price 25c. A fine Nattie weave copied from the imported English tweeds, which they so closely resemble.

Fancy Cheviots 50c quality

at sale 39c a yard. A mixture of fine Bouretted yarn gives this the appearance of a fabric costing three times the price.

Mohair Figured Suitings

75c value, 50c at sale

Zebeline Silk-barred Plaids

The popular goods to-day. At sale 39 and 50c a yard, worth 5c and 69c.

Mathassee Figured Cheviots

A solid colored ground with Mathesse scroll figures. A very stylish suiting and worth 65c. At sale 50c a yard.

All Wool Fancy Basket Cloths

In particularly fine shades of blue, red, green, brown, etc. A very popular new fabric 69c value. At sale 50c a yard.

All French Bouretts

Solid Grounds of brown, new blue, green and plum, with worked over suit ings, sold elsewhere for 89c, at Tompkins' sale 75c a yard.

Fine Black Finished Henriettas.

Fine twilled Black Serge, Beautiful Zibeline finish all silk and wool. Elegant French Black Bouretts all 54 inch quality at sale $1.00 a yard

Beautiful Black Silk Finished

Henriettas, wide twilled black serge elsewhere you pay 75c for these, at Tompkins' sale 50c a yard.

Silks.

We are showing new goods and giving splendid values. The present advance in price shows that in our great purchases previous to changes in tariff, we made no mistake. No other house can give the values we offer at this sale.

Novelty Figured Brocade and

Changeable Silk Taffetas, twenty different varieties, all the latest coloring and styles, a regular 75c value, at sale 55c a yard.

Rich Novelty Silks

In a variety of new ideas and colorings instead 89c at Tompkins' sale 65c a yard

Rich Fancy Silk

Embracing a large variety of stripes in Roman colorings, Damas broche French Plaids and Taffetas in new designs and the price instead of $1 00, at Tompkins' sale is 75c a yard

Sale of Winter Underwear.

Do you want to save money on your underwear purchases? Here is your chance right now at Tompkins' sale.

Men's Heavy 35c White or Grey

Merino underwear at sale 25c each

Men's Heavy 50c Fleece Lined

Men's 50c White Merino and Ladies' 50c White Merino underwear, all of the above lots at sale 35c each.

Ladies' 25c Heavy Ribbed

Underwear at Tompkins' 19c each.

Men's Part Wool White Underwear, Men's Grey Part Wool Underwear, single or double breasted shirts, both 65c quality, at sale 50c each.

A Few More of Those Famous

Double breasted Wool Undershirts left, all large sizes, 42, 44 46 and 48. They are $1 00 goods, at Tompkins' sale 59c each.

A Few More of Those Famous

Soft Camels' Hair Underwear for men left, actual $1 25 quality, cost to-day $12 50 a dozen. We bought this to right and the price at this sale, while they last, 75c each.

Men's Double Breast and Back

Camels' Hair Shirts and Drawers to match with double seat, $1.25c goods, at Tompkins' sale 98c each.

Blanket Sale.

Everybody realized what is coming this great stock of blankets would be swept away in a week. Would you believe that we have not advanced the price one cent over the figures at which the season began; and have you heard your neighbors talking about the rise in wool? Hotel Proprietors and housekeepers will find these items interesting reading.

48c Blanket White or Grey

These are a little imperfect in weaving At Tompkins' sale 35c a pair.

Good Heavy $1.00 Blankets

At Tompkins' sale 75c a pair. $1.25 Rose Blankets, at sale 98c a pair. $1.75 Blankets, at sale $1 25 a pair. $2 25 Blankets, finely $1.75 a pair. $4 Wool Blankets, at sale $2.98 a pair. $6 California Blankets, at sale $3 98 a pair. $10 California Blankets, at sale $7.75 a pair.

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SEE The Great Thrilling and Realistic Gun Scene.

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A Superb Production.

Act 1—Garrison of the British Residency at Rawal Pindee. "The Cherry Pickers" reception in honor of the Viceroy's visit.

Act 2—Two months later. Interior of Mrs. O'Donnell-Dalrymple's Bungalow, suburb of Rawal Pindee.

Act 3—Two months later.

Scene 1—Col Brandt's quarters in the prison fortress at Candahar.

Scene 2—Gun room in the fort.

Act 4—Interior of the Post Oak at Juldak, 50 miles from Candahar. 24 hours later.

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Ralph Delmore, Robert T. Haines, Nat Jones, R. V. Ferguson Edward Poland J. O. Lefiniere, George Brennan, Calvin Thomitte, Frank Belew, Wm. P. Sprague, Wm C Riley, Jennie Satterlee, Stella Zanoni and Gertrude Dawes. The entire production under the direction of

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THE MILK MARKET.

Higher Prices Possible If the Market Is Not Glutted—The Milk Trust Almost Assured.

From the Milk Reporter.

Contrary to general expectation the output of milk is such as to leave no surplus in sight, and while at present there is no shortage the danger line has been so closely approached that dealers are doing considerable skirmishing in search of additional supplies.

The heavy body of pasture on the ground on Oct. 1st, led every one to believe that milk would be in liberal supply until freezing weather.

This expectation has not been realized and the prospects are that a shortage in the market will prevail, for the next month or more, with good prices.

Producers alone will be to blame if the situation is otherwise. It can easily be changed and the market flooded if each producer will "follow out the old rule" and do his best to increase the output.

An average increase of ten quarts for each dairy engaged in supplying the New York market would result in creating a surplus that means at least ten cents per can decreased price.

Producers should ponder over this and not tumble all over each other in frantic efforts to force an increased output because the price is advanced to three cents per quart, as undoubtedly it will be on Nov. 1st.

The proposed plan for consolidating the milk business of the metropolitan market will assuredly be a success. At least four-fifths of the total is already under control, which is sufficient to warrant applying for articles of incorporation. The probability is that they will be secured by Nov. 1.

NOVEL WAY OF BUYING COWS.

From the New York Produce Review.

A rather novel plan for buying and selling cows was recently suggested by the North Carolina Experiment Station. It was based on the yield of milk, together with the quality of the same as determined by tests. It was proposed to pay for the cow at the rate of $12 per gallon of milk given per day that is rich enough to show 3½ per cent. of fat. To this price add or substract $1 for every one-fourth of one per cent. of fat which is above or below the 3½ per cent. By this rule the cow is bought entirely on her merits. It is believed to be a conservative plan and one if adopted, (or one upon a similar plan,) will certainly raise the standard of cows and increase their milk and butter production, for if they cannot be sold easily for milk cows, they will soon be turned over to the butcher and a better animal be kept or a willing purchaser be found.

Called Off Policeman Ballantine.

Policeman Ballantine who has been keeping Alderman Crans posted on what was going on in the antis camp, has been called off by the antis. They told him plainly that he was a Mayor's appointee, and that his job would terminate very suddenly if the Mayor heard of his actions. Then "Ballie" came off and he don't even look at the statesman from the second.

SIMPLE AT FIRST.

It Is Foolish to Neglect Any Form of Piles—Cure Them at the Beginning.

Piles are simple in the beginning and easily cured. They can be cured even in the worst stages, without pain or loss of blood, quickly, surely and completely. There is only one remedy that will do it. Pyramid Pile Cure.

It allays the inflammation immediately heals the irritated surface and with continued treatment reduces the swelling and puts the membranes into good, soundy healthy condition. The cure is thorough and permanent.

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Most druggists sell Pyramid Pile Cure or will get it for you if you ask them to. It is $1 per package and is put up only by the Pyramid Drug Co., Albion, Mich.

Itching Piles.

Dr. Agnew's Ointment is proof against the torments of itching piles. Thousands of testimonials of cures effected by its use. No case too aggravating or too long standing for it to sooth, comfort and cure. It cures in from 3 to 6 nights.

Sold by James T. King and McMonagle and Rogers.

Try Grain-O! Try Grain-O!

Ask your grocer to-day to show you a package of GRAIN-O, the new food drink that takes the place of coffee. The children may drink it without injury as well as the adult. All who try it, like it. GRAIN-O has that rich seal brown of Mocha or Java, but it is made from pure grains, and the most delicate stomach receives it without distress. One-fourth the price of coffee. 15 and 25 cents per package. Sold by all grocers.

Just try a 10c. box of Cascarets, the finest liver and bowel regulator ever made.

DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The famous little pills

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People Are Talking All Over Middletown—This Report Comes From Roberts Street.

How it spreads.

Can't keep a "good thing" down.

Ever notice how good thing are imitated?

Better the artirle, more imitators.

Fortunately the people have a safeguard.

Praise can't be imitated.

And true praise takes root and spreads.

Claim is one thing proof another.

Claim is what the manufacturer says.

Proof is what the people say.

Middletown people say.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys

Cure all kidney ills.

Hundreds of citizens testify to this.

Here is a case in point:

Mrs. C. H. Coleman, of the Columbus Hotel, No. 46 Roberts street, says:—"Kidney disease runs in our family. I have been troubled for the past six years myself, but the greater quantity of Doan's Kidney Pills I bought at J. E. Mills' drug store were for my mother and one of my brothers. Backache so severe I could not stand it, and too stubborn to be affected by plasters, home remedies or physician's prescriptions, clung to me most of the time. I have left my bed late at night and gone to a doctor's, begging him for relief. I could not wait until he was sent for. Urinary trouble set in. The deposit alarmed me. My general health was impaired and I considered myself lucky in being induced to try Doan's Kidney Pills. It was only a few days when I got relief and in five or seven more my trouble had disappeared. When they cured me so promptly I immediately sent some to my mother, who lives at Glenwild, Sullivan county. Her farm adjoins the Sullivan County Club House. The first box I sent her did her so much good that she made me send her some more. I have sent some to my sister who has the same symptoms as I, but at present I cannot speak positively about her or my brother. I can about Doan's Kidney Pills. No words of mine can express my opinion. They are easy to take, leave no disagreeable after-effects and go right for the kidneys."

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Work on the Neversink Dyke to Begin at Once.

A. E. Godeffroy has been appointed by the State Superintendent of Public Works to have charge of the construction of the dyke along the Neversink River at Godeffroy. The work will begin at once and thirty teams and fifty men will be employed so that the work may be finished before winter sets in.

Plasterers Spent Sunday in Town.

James C. Conroy, John Holly, William Weaver, Thomas Ahearn, Frank English, Michael Cleary, Louis Brock and Jesse Barnes, Middletown plasterers, who are employed on the Catholic sisters' building in Forestburgh, Sullivan county, spent Sunday in town.

MEMORIAL SERVICES.

Held by Gen. Lyon Post Relief Corps in Memory of E. Florence Barker.

Memorial services were held Saturday evening by Gen. Lyon W. R. C., No. 180, for E. Florence Barker, the late national president of the organization. Mrs. Minerva Dudley, president of the corps, presided, and a vacant chair draped in mourning for the past national president, stood in front of the altar. Mrs. Dudley introduced Past Commander Wheeler, Senior Vice-Commander Jos. Kniffin and Officer of the Day J. W. Ayers, who spoke feelingly of the good deeds of the dead woman, who during the war was an angel of mercy in the hospitals and who was instrumental in saving the lives of many sick and wounded soldiers.

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WOULD KILL MARTIN

Plot In Revenge For the Lattimer Shooting.

POLE CONCERNED TALKED TOO MUCH.

Said He Was One of Twenty Sworn to Avenge the Killing of the Striking Miners by the Assassination of the Sheriff.

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Oct. 25.—The fear that the friends of the strikers shot down at Lattimer on Sept. 10 would make some attempt to avenge their dead comrades seems to be well founded. There is now lodged in jail a Hungarian named John Sepnak, who is said to be one of 20 sworn to assassinate Sheriff Martin. The attempt upon the official's life would doubtless have been made had not Sepnak become intoxicated and talked too much.

Albert Baer and Martin Mullen of Mill Creek, where Sheriff Martin lives, were walking from that town to Plains, when they met Sepnak. He asked them where Sheriff Martin lived and with an oath declared that the sheriff had killed 20 of his friends at Lattimer, and he was going to blow him to shoot with dynamite. Sepnak was intoxicated and swore horribly.

Baer and Mullen said they did not know where Martin lived and then hurried on to Plains and told their story to Squire Conniff. Charles Martin, a son of the sheriff, was passing and with Conniff and several citizens started toward Mill Creek after Sepnak. He was overtaken and arrested and taken to Squire Conniff's office, where young Martin acted as prosecutor.

Sepnak continued to curse the sheriff during the hearing, but when the handcuffs were put on and he was ready to be taken to jail he weakened, said he was a friend of the sheriff and had come to warn him that he was going to be killed. Later, when he found himself in jail, he became very much frightened and promised, if set at liberty, to tell all about it.

He was stripped for a bath, and two bullet wounds were revealed, one in the right leg and the other in the back. When asked how he came by them he became excited and bitterly denounced the sheriff and his deputies, who, he said, shot him at Lattimer when a lot of his friends were killed. Then he went on to say that he was one of a band of 20 who had sworn to kill Sheriff Martin and that they left Hazleton last Friday for that purpose. They had no money and were obliged to tramp the entire distance.

At Nanticoke they separated, and part of them came up this side of the river and the rest on the other side. This was done to avoid arousing suspicion. He said he went up to Plains alone and would not say what became of the others.

He was armed with a knife with an eight inch curved blade and sharp as a razor. It was wrapped in a circular printed in Polish, Lithuanian and German and calling for a meeting of the miners and laborers at Avoca to discuss the Lattimer tragedy. He wore four pairs of trousers, three suits of underwear and two coats and had a small bundle of bread and cheese.

Sheriff Martin went to the jail and had a long talk with the fellow. What Sepnak said is not known, as the sheriff refused to make the interview public. He said, however, that he learned sufficient to convince him that an attempt upon his life was planned, and the information was such that he would have to keep it secret until he was able to run down the rest of the band and get them safe in jail. He thought he would be able to make some arrests very shortly. He also told Sepnak not to say anything to reporters, and the Hungarian implicitly followed these instructions, replying to all queries, "Me no know."

Robber May Prove to Be a Murderer.

CAMDEN, N. J., Oct. 25.—James A. Mather, aged 65 years, keeper of a cigar store at 519 Market street, was held up in his store and probably fatally shot by John Cowan of New York, who was later arrested. He has a bad record. Cowan was accompanied by another man, who escaped. After the shooting they rifled the store.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

Notice is hereby given that the Inspectors of Election, acting as Boards of Registry, will meet at the following polling places in the city of Middletown, N. Y., on FRIDAY, OCT. 8TH, and SATURDAY, OCT. 9TH; FRIDAY, OCT. 15TH, and SATURDAY, OCT. 16TH, 1897, at eight o'clock in the morning, and continue in session until nine o'clock in the evening, to wit:

FIRST WARD.

First District—Monhegan Engine House, East Main street. Bounded as follows: From Franklin Square through the center of East Main street to N. Y., O. and W. R. R. track; northerly along said track to the center of Wickham avenue; through center of Wickham avenue to center of North street, through center of North street to place of beginning, at Franklin Square.

Second District—Wilkes Building, corner Railroad and Beattie avenues. Bounded as follows: North by the center of Wickham avenue, south by the center of East Main street, east by the city limits, west by the N. Y., O. and W. R. track.

Third District—Ontario Hose House, North street. Bounded as follows: North by the city limits, south by center line of Wickham avenue, east by the city limits, west by center line of North street.

SECOND WARD.

First District—Phenix Engine House, John street. Bounded as follows: West side of North street from Franklin Square to the center of Prospect street, center of Prospect street to Black Dirt Brook, Brook to center of Liberty street, to center of Wickham avenue, center of Wickham avenue to West Main street, center of West Main street to Franklin Square.

Second District—Nicholson's Hall, North street. Bounded as follows: North of the center line of Prospect street and North street to city limits, and west of the center line of North street and Prospect street to the city limits.

Third District—Wallkill Engine House, Wallkill avenue. Beginning at the center of Liberty street and Wickham avenue, through the center of Liberty street to Black Dirt Brook, northerly along said brook to the center line of Prospect street, westerly along said center line of Prospect street to city limits, and from the center of Wickham avenue and Liberty street through center line of Wickham avenue and West Main street to city limits.

THIRD WARD.

First District—Frank Wilson's livery stable, 66 West Main street. Bounded as follows: East side of Mill street from West Main street to city limits, south side of West Main street from Mill street to South street, west side of South street to city limits.

Second District—I. B. A. Taylor & Co.'s store, 82 West Main street. Bounded as follows: West side of Mill street from West Main street to city limits, south side of West Main street from Mill street to city limits.

FOURTH WARD.

First District—Store house 41 East Main street. Bounded as follows: From Franklin Square through center of South street to city limits, and from Franklin Square through center of East Main street to Academy avenue, through but not including either side of Academy avenue to city limits.

Second District—Bryant's carriage factory, 17 Academy avenue. Both sides of Academy avenue from East Main street to city limits, south side of East Main street from Academy avenue to Erie Railroad, to Sprague avenue, but not including said avenue, to west side of Genung street to city limits.

Third District—Rogers & Ayers' livery stable Sprague avenue. The south side of East Main street from the Erie Railroad to city limits, from the Erie Railroad to and including Sprague avenue, to and including east side of Genung street to city limits, or all territory east of and including Sprague avenue and Genung street, and south of East Main street to city limits.

For Common Council.

E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk.

Middletown, N. Y., Oct. 7th, 1897.

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AND PERSONAL PROPERTY IN THE HOUSE OF

S. MARETTA THRALL,

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27th Day of October, 1897,

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IN Pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Lucinda Horton Yocum, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor of the last will and testament of said deceased, at his office, No. 16 East Main street, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 14th day of April next.

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Dated August 23d, 1897.

MARGARET D. GENUNG, } Executrices.
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MONDAY, OCT. 25, 1897.

In 1891, the last year that the Democrats were in control of our city's affairs, the total tax levy was $65,058.65. In six years, under Republican rule, the amount raised for city purposes has increased to $102,754.75, and the tax rate has mounted to $38.75 per $1,000, which Newburgh's Republican Mayor figures out to be the highest tax rate of any city in the State. The road Middletown is now traveling is the road to municipal dishonor and the bankruptcy of its citizens. We must about face and return to more economical methods, and this can only be done by placing the control of the city's affairs in the hands of Democrats, not because they are necessarily more honest or competent, but because they are pledged to a more economical policy in city affairs.

"The Argus ought to let up. Those high tax rate figures are doing Middletown a great deal of harm," said a prominent Republican, who was holding forth on North street, Saturday. Of course it hurts Middletown to have the highest tax rate of any city in the State, but the real harm comes from the tax rate and not the publication of the fact. It is time the citizens of Middletown knew the evil reputation that extravagance in municipal affairs has made for their city. It does no harm to bring home to them the fact that the Republican Mayor of a neighboring city points to Middletown as a horrible example of a tax-ridden town and uses our high tax rate as a help to prove that his city is well and economically governed. High taxes are an insuperable barrier to Middletown's growth and prosperity: they drive away business and population, depreciate the value of real estate and make needlessly hard the struggle for existence in many homes. Middletown's tax rate has reached its present high figures under Republican rule in all departments of the city government. It is time for a change, a return to more economical methods and the only way to bring about a change is to place Democrats in control of the city's affairs. Every candidate on the Democratic ticket is pledged to a policy of the strictest economy in public expenditures.

THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.

The Report of the Building Committee Discussed in the Right Spirit.

EDITOR ARGUS.—It seems to me that the High School Building Committee of the Board of Education made a mistake in publishing the "report" which was printed, Saturday.

They miss entirely, and perhaps on purpose, the one thing that the people want to know. As they say there is no question how much they have spent on the building, the small balance left in the building fund shows that. What the public wants to know is how much they owe and how much it will take to complete the building.

I am told on good authority that Edwin McWilliams has a bill for about $6,000 for extra work; that A. H. Pratt, the painter, has a large bill for extras and that no one knows how the account stands between the Board and the Deguan Plumbing Co. for the steam heating work, and what I saw at the building, Saturday, made it certain that there is a good deal of work to be done before the building can be said to be finished. It's only a matter of "belief" with the committee that the building can be completed within the appropriation. It's a matter of belief with me, and I am not altogether ignorant of building work, that the small balance in the building fund will go only a short way toward paying bills already contracted and which must be contracted in order to finish the building.

And why do the committee juggle the building and furnishing funds together? They are separate accounts and ought to be kept separate in the "report" as well as on the Treasurer's books.

Now I am not making any attack on the individual honesty or personal character of the building committee, but the other acts of public servants are fair matters of discussion and criticism, and if for any reason a great public trust has not been administered with the utmost possible wisdom, any citizen has a right, within the limits of fair discussion, to express his opinion and this brings me to what I think is the real gist of the widespread feeling against the men directly in charge of the High School building—that they have expended the large sum voted them by generous taxpayers in such an unwise way that they have failed to provide accommodations for all the school children in the city and, as the Argus well said, with unanimously housed high school pupils, the city is back to the old make-shift of renting rooms in churches and stores to provide accommodation for pupils in the lower grades. H.

Hundreds of precious little ones owe their lives to Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil, the sovereign cure for croup and all other throat or lung diseases.

LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

THE GARRISONS DISASTER.

The Sleeper Glen Alpine Raised, But No More Bodies Found.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

GARRISONS, Oct. 25—The work of clearing away the wreck, which continued during the night, began more vigorously after daylight.

The sleeping car Glen Alpine was raised about 7 o'clock and, greatly to the relief of all, found to contain no bodies. The escape of the passengers seems almost miraculous, for everything movable in the car was piled in the front end. The quantity of clothing found the car shows that many of the passengers must have made their way through the windows in scanty raiment.

Col. Cole, Railroad Commissioner, who is investigating the wreck, is not certain that the accident was due to the giving way of the bank, or to the breaking of the driving rod of the engine, which threw the engine from the track and pulled the cars into the river.

The engine was located, this afternoon, in sixty feet of water, but no bodies were found. The failure to find any bodies astonished the onlookers.

The body of Mrs. Robert Lindsman, of Utica, was identified this afternoon. She left Utica on a visit to her parents at Goshen. She was married eight weeks ago.

NOT KNOWN IN GOSHEN.

Inquiry at Goshen by telephone elicted the information that no such person as Mrs. Lindsman is known there.

AN EASY VICTORY

Goshen's Foot Ball Players Beaten by Port Jervis, 20 to 0.

From Our Goshen Corresponpent.

A team of foot ball players purporting to be the "school team" came down from Port Jervis, Saturday afternoon, and with very little trouble humbled the pride of the Goshen Scholastic eleven. The line up:

PORT JERVIS.	POSITIONS.	GOSHEN.
Kirkman	L. E.	Lyons
Wood	L. T.	Carpenter
Swinton	L. G.	Hawkins
Fisher	C.	Finan
Sheen	R. G.	Church
Mackey	R. T.	E. Tuthill
Terbell	R. E.	Dalton
Clark, (Capt.)	Q. B.	L. Tuthill
Boeir	R. H. B.	White
Tracy	L. H. B.	(Capt.) Platt
Richerson	F. B.	Coleman

Referee, Dikeman; umpire, Farnum; linesmen, Miller and Whidden; timekeeper, Kipp.

From the very kick off the result of the game was never in doubt. The visitors were heavier men and more scientific players. At the end of the first half Port Jervis led, 10 to 0; at the end of the second Port Jervis had doubled her score and Goshen hadn't a point. The score was 20 to 0.

At the ending of the first half Ernest Tuthill, Goshen's right tackle, was obliged to withdraw for repairs. He was replaced by Radzinsky. This was the only casualty.

The home team needs strengthening. The one man on the team who covered himself with glory was Lyons, who played left end. He downed every man he tackled and three Port Jervis players devoted their entire attention to him.

Another player whose work was very effective was Radzinsky, who played hammer and tongsky. Otherwise the team is weak, not in lack of timber but in practice of the game and team work.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending Oct. 25th:

LADIES.

Brown, Miss Kate K.	Scott Miss Ida
Davis, Ettie	Talmadge, Mrs. James R
Mattison, Hannah	VanWober, Mrs. Arnol
Miller, Mrs T. A.	Wallace, Miss Eleanor
Moffat, Mrs. Hattie	Whitney, Mrs. Eleanor
Scott, Miss Kittie M.	Welles, Mrs. Fred

GENTLEMEN.

Brink, A. W.	Sayer, J
Chiswick, L. C	Talmage, J. H
H. B.	Woodsoff, Charley
Richards, G., care Richards Concert Hall	Waters, Rob

C. L. ELWOOD, P. M

Hunting Ducks Along the Hudson.

George M Millspaugh and T Ed. Hayes went to Poughkeepsie on the Oliverette, to day, and, this afternoon, are hunting ducks in a sneak boat just above that city.

Inspecting the High School

R. N. Taylor, G. W. Baker, John Henderson, T. F. DeWitt, Joel Fowler, V. Hugo Kohler, all of New York, are in town, to day, inspecting the High School.

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Hymeneal Notes.

—Our Amity correspondent says: Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Nanny have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Flora, to Charles Feagles, on Wednesday, Nov. 3rd, at 12:30 p. m., at their residence.

Benton Avenue and Liberty Street Schools to Re-open, To-morrow.

Supt. Tuthill announces that the Benton avenue school and the rooms in the Liberty street school, which have been closed, will be re-opened to-morrow morning.

Very High Tide at Jersey City, this Morning.

A very high tide made it necessary to place planks in the Erie waiting room at Jersey City, this morning, for passengers to walk upon.

MARRIED.

HASKING-McCONNELL—In this city, Oct. 24th, '97, by Rev. Dr. Wilson, William G. Hasking, of Mount Hope, and E. J. McConnell, of Wawayanda.

DIED.

ROBINSON—In this city, Oct. 24th, '97, Joseph F. Robinson, aged forty-eight years, eight months, twelve days.
Funeral services will be held from his late residence, No. 134 West Main street, Wednesday evening, at eight o'clock. Interment in family plot, Greenwood Cemetery, on Thursday.

FRED O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 99 North street. Telephone No 3. Lady assistant. New York office 154 East 23d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

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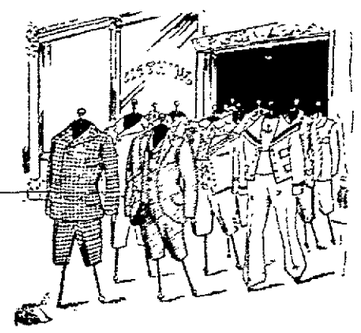

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MONDAY, OCT. 25, 1897.

WEATHER INDICATIONS.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 25.—Threatening rain to-night and Tuesday; dangerous winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:
a. m., 53°; 12 m., 58°; 3 p. m., 60°.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

—Lucas paint 85c a can at J. J. Chambers'.
—Horehound cough drops 2c a pound at J. Erskine Mills'.
—Reliable pills at J. J. Chambers'.
—Big cut in bicycles at Chas. L. Sweezy's.
—Fountain syringes 49c at J. J. Chambers'.
—The Advertiser's Handy Guide.
—New cloaks, dress goods, etc., at Geo. B. Adams & Co.'s.
—All kinds of rubbers at Ayres'.
—See adv. of Billings' tonsorial parlors.

AMUSEMENT NOTES.

—Oct 25—Excursion to New York, via Ontario and Western Railroad.
—Oct. 25—"The White Slave," at Casino
—Oct. 26—Harvest Home and New England supper, at First Baptist Church.
—Oct. 26—"The Cherry Pickers," at Casino.
—Oct. 29—"A Big Heart," at Casino.
—Nov. 6—Football game, Port Jervis vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds.
—Nov. 17-19—Fair and Art Exhibit at First Congregational Church.
—Nov. 20—Newburgh vs. Middletown, on Hospital grounds.
—Nov. 24—Ball of Lucky Thought Lodge, D of L. F., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 9—Fair of Wallkill Hose Co., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 23—Ball of Phoenix Engine Co., at Assembly Rooms.
—Dec. 21—Ball of Ontario Hose Co., at Assembly Rooms.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Common Council meets, to-night.

—"A Big Heart" at the Casino, Friday evening.

—Augustus Pitou's "Cherry Pickers" at the Casino, to-morrow evening.

—There will be a special meeting of Ontario Hose Company, to-night.

—"The White Slave" at the Casino, to-night.

—Bartley Campbell's "White Slave" will be produced at the Casino, to-night.

—The smoke stack was raised at the straw hat works, Saturday afternoon.

—There was a short runaway on Houston avenue, to-day, but no one was injured.

—Bartley Campbell's beautiful southern play, "The White Slave," will be presented at the Casino, to-night

—Jacob Krenrich, a well known barber of Liberty, has been engaged by W. L. Billings, of the *Press* office barber shop.

—"The White Slave" at the Casino, to night, is one of the best productions looked for the season, and a first class company is playing it.

—Jacob Palmer was arrested at Cornwall, Wednesday, charged with stealing hay from James Weyant, of Fishkill, in December last. He was sent to Albany Penitentiary for four months.

—Orders for the *Ladies' Home Journal* pictures will be received by Mrs. Dewitt Schoonmaker, who will have charge of the Art Exhibit at the First Congregational Church fair, Nov. 17, 18, 19. 1t

—Judson K. Wiggins, the West Main street jeweler, came out, to-day, with a handsome business wagon which he will use in collecting and delivering work in and about the city.

PERSONAL.

—Mayor Berry is not so well to-day.

—Mr. and Mrs. James Ural are visiting in New York city.

—Mrs. J. W. Van Benthuysen, of Cohoes is the guest of Mrs. J. R. Van Duzer.

—Miss Katie McCabe has returned home after spending a few days in Port Jervis.

—Marshal Walthall went to New York, to-day, for a few days' visit.

—C. H. Robbins, of New York city, spent Sunday in this city.

—Chauncey Hale returned to Denver, to-day on Erie No. 1.

—City Magistrate Henry A. Brann, of New York city, is the guest of James Gavin.

—Arthur Smith, of Buffalo, returned home to day, after a week's visit with relatives and friends near this city.

—Scott Cook, of Middletown, is visiting old friends in town.—*Port Jervis Gazette.*

—Ensigns Powelson and Bookwalter, of the Fern, spent Sunday night and to-day, in this city.

—Miss Henley, of New York, who has been the guest of Miss Bessie Rogers, returned home, to-day.

—Dr. Charles I. Redfield and bride have arrived in this city and are occupying the handsome new residence on East Main street.

—Misses Mamie Lyon and Mamie Burns, of Ellenville, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this city, returned home, Saturday.

—The friends of Miss Kittie M. Giveans who has been ill with diphtheria, will be glad to know that she is able to leave her room.

—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Crans, of Crystal Run, went to Cochecton, to day, to attend the wedding of a nephew, W. S. Tyler, to Miss Bertha Bush, which occurs Wednesday.

—M. T. Conkling and wife, of Detroit, who have been guests of H. K. Wilcox, went to Newburgh, Mr. Conkling's former home, to-day, for a short visit before returning west.

The diseases cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla are many, because many ailments disappear as soon as the blood is enriched and purified by it.

TOO SMART FOR BUNCO MEN.

"A Son of Banker Clements, of Middletown," Makes a Vain Attempt to Work Benjamin Van Fleet, of Deerpark.

Benjamin Van Fleet, a well known retired farmer of the town of Deerpark, who lives just above Port Jervis on the Huguenot road, had an experience with bunco men, Wednesday, but unlike Charles Van Duzer did not prove an easy mark. It is easily possibly that the men who tried to victimize him were the ones who got away with Mr. Van Duzer's $3,000, Thursday.

A rather prepossessing young man called on Mr. Van Fleet and introduced himself as a son of Isaac R. Clements, ex-President of the Merchants and Manufacturers' National Bank, of this city. He said that Cashier Scott, of the Port Jervis National Bank, and President Van Inwegen, of the First National Bank of Port Jervis, who were intimate friends of his father, had suggested that he get Mr. Van Fleet's opinion of the value of a tract of land near Mr. Van Fleet's farm, which his father was thinking of purchasing for another son, a wayward fellow, whom it was desired to get away from the temptations of city life. Mr. Van Fleet agreed to go with the young man to look at the farm and soon after they started they met a horsey looking man, who, after some preliminary talk, produced three cards and began the old three card monte game. Finally the stranger wanted Mr. Van Fleet to bet. He refused to do so and then "Mr. Clements' son" began to bet for him. He won $10, which Mr. Van Fleet refused to take and then left the fellows, who drove back to Port Jervis at top speed.

Mr. Van Fleet drove to Port Jervis and reported the matter at police headquarters. The police found that the two men had hired a rig at Hissam & Son's livery stable to go to Cuddebackville and had returned it after being away a short time. It was also learned that the men took train 6 for Middletown.

LINCOLN CLUB, TO-MORROW.

Line of March to Be Taken By the Visitors—Plans at Midway.

The Lincoln Club, a Republican political organization of Paterson, will come to this city by way of the S. and W., to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock. They will be met by Captain Veber and Chief Higham, who will escort them over the following line of march:

East Main street to North, to Wickham avenue, countermarch at Thrall Park, to North, to King, to James, to West Main, to the Commercial House, where cars will be in waiting to take them to Midway Park.

Hasse's State Band will lead the parade and in the middle will be found the crack Martial Drum Corps which is well known here.

Caterer Rowley will serve them a light lunch at Midway Park at 11:30, and then they will adjourn to a neighboring field for target practice.

At 3 o'clock a hot dinner will be served at the Midway Park restaurant and the real fun of the day will commence.

The club will probably return about 7 o'clock.

J. R. Jackson, who has arranged the affair, was the guest of Chief Higham, Sunday.

HOGAN BOILER COMPANY.

At Work on Several Orders—Making Small Boilers for Domestic Heating.

The Hogan Boiler Company is at work on a 164 horse power boiler for a large office building on Liberty street, New York city, and on a 100 horse power for the Empire State Dairy Co., of Brooklyn. The company has also begun the manufacture of small boilers for domestic heating. One will be placed in the Russell House in a few days and another in the residence of C. Macardell on Highland avenue.

The company is about closing contracts for several boilers of hundred horse power.

Making a House to House Canvass.

Alderman Crans is becoming alarmed. He has been making a house to house canvass promising everything, it is said, from a team for Wallkills to an incandescent light at the northern extremity of Sunset avenue. It is also said that he promised that Highland avenue shall continue crooked, and he is said to have told others that the commission to be appointed would straighten it. And there you are!

Opening Hop of the Season.

The opening hop of the 24th Separate Company will be held at the armory, Thursday evening. There will be a band concert and a game of basket ball between two hot teams of the company. Tickets fifty cents.

Where Did They Get Their Liquor.

Two boys, aged about twelve and fourteen, were seen at the East Main street station, Sunday afternoon, hopelessly intoxicated, and one was carrying a half-filled flask of whiskey in his hand. Word was sent to the police, but the boys disappeared before an officer arrived.

Fell and Broke His Arm in Three Places

A son of Herman Otto, of near Otisville, fell from a tree, Sunday afternoon, and broke his arm in three places.

"I was troubled with that dreadful disease called dropsy; swollen from head to foot. Burdock Blood Bitters has completely cured me. It is a most wonderful medicine." Joseph Herrick, Linwood, Ont.

OBITUARY.

Joseph F. Robinson.

Joseph F. Robinson, who for many years was the city editor of this paper, died suddenly at 11 o'clock, Sunday morning, at his home No. 134 West Main street, after a few hours' illness of acute Bright's disease.

Mr. Robinson was down town Saturday and although he complained of not feeling well he entertained no thoughts of serious consequences. About 4 o'clock Sunday morning he was attacked with convulsions and Drs. Mills and Hardenbergh were summoned. He passed from one convulsion to another until death relieved his sufferings at 11 o'clock.

Deceased was a son of Joseph and Mary Robinson and was born in Washington, Ohio, February 12, 1849 and was therefore in his forty-ninth year. He came to Middletown in 1877 and shortly afterwards entered the employment of the DAILY ARGUS with which he remained, first as bookkeeper and later as city editor, until last May, when he resigned to engage in the life insurance business, as the general agent of the Mutual Reserve Fund Life Association.

He was married Nov. 9th, 1880, to Annie A., only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Tilton, by whom he is survived. He is also survived by one brother, Arthur William, of Vineland, N. J.

Mr. Robinson was a ready and graceful writer, and a good all around newspaper man. Kindly in his impulses and charitable in his judgments he had pity and sympathy for all in trouble or distress and it pained him deeply to write of crime or wrongdoing which he knew would bring shame or sorrow to the innocent or helpless, while he always delighted to cast the mantle of charity over wrongdoing by putting the best possible construction on every doubtful act. It can be truthfully be said of him that he never during all his years of newspaper work used the opportunity that his position gave him to punish any one for real or fancied wrong, or cast reproach on any one undeservedly. These, however, were but negative virtues and he was by no means a negative character. He had positive virtues,—many of them. During an intimate acquaintance of twenty years we found him to be the soul of honor and cannot recall a single base or dishonorable act. Strong in his convictions, loyal in his friendships, with a heart that always beat in loving sympathy for all mankind and was always moved to tenderness for those in trouble or sorrow he had many of the qualities that fit a man for earth if not for heaven. Among the sincerest mourners at his funeral will be those from the Argus office who through years of daily association learned to know his real worth.

Funeral services will be held at his late residence Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The remains will be taken to Brooklyn, Thursday, for interment in the family plot in Greenwood Cemetery.

THRALL HOSPITAL DONATION.

Bring or Send Your Gifts to the Hospital, Thursday, Oct. 28.

Thursday, Oct. 28th, will be donation day at Thrall Hospital and all friends of the hospital are asked to bring or send gifts of vegetables, canned fruits, household supplies, anything and everything that can be used in the institution. Members of the Board of Managers will be at the hospital to receive donations.

It is particularly desired to interest the children on the hospital's donation day and it is suggested that they bring pound packages containing their gift.

All gifts will be duly acknowledged in the city papers.

WAS HE DRUGGED?

Jacob Plan Acted Like a Maniac on an O. and W. Train and Was Unloaded Here.

Jacob Plan, a middle-aged German who has been living at Mandan, S. D., started for Odessa, Russia, a fortnight ago. He was a passenger on an O. and W. train Saturday afternoon, and when the train reached Norwich he became violently insane, and made such a disturbance that the O. and W. sent an officer with him to this city. Dr. Mills had been telegraphed for, and on his instructions he was taken to Thrall Hospital in the ambulance. He soon became all right there, and as his disease seemed to originate from a half-empty quart bottle of alcohol, he was removed in the patrol wagon to the jail, and Dr. Schultz took charge of the case.

The police searched him and found him penniless. From papers on his person, however, which were translated by Emil Martini, it seemed probable that he had been robbed. His papers showed that his trip would cost $167.85, and that he had forwarded $86.60 to agents in New York.

Capt. Veber believes the man was drugged and robbed some where along the line.

He appeared to be all right, this morning, and the authorities turned him over to the O. and W., who will send him to New York on No. 2, this afternoon.

HYMENEAL.

Hasking—McConnell.

William C. Hasking, of Mount Hope, and Miss E. J. McConnell, of Wawayanda, called upon Rev. Dr. Wilson at his home, Sunday afternoon, and were united in matrimge. They were accompanied by Isaac M. McConnell and Miss Ella Edwards.

Newburgh Outkicks Warwick.

Newburgh won the High School football game with Warwick at Newburgh, Saturday, score 6—4.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

A Musical Treat—Inquest in the Case of Albert Loftus—Dikeman's Parlor Entertainments—What Caused the Tooting—Annual Meeting of the Vocal Society—Other Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

—The admirable rendition of a solo by Miss Florence Morgan at the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning, was a source of gratification to a large and appreciative congregation.

—The remains of Albert Loftus, killed while walking on the Erie track, Saturday, were viewed by Coroner Decker, that afternoon, a jury was chosen and an adjournment taken until 1:30 o'clock, today. A brother-in-law of the unfortunate man came to Goshen, yesterday, and arranged to take the remains to Newburgh for interment.

—It is the intention of Dikeman Hose Company to give a series of parlor entertainments this winter similar to those of last winter. Action will probably be taken at the next meeting.

—Escaping steam from an engine on the Mongomery Branch, Sunday afternoon, caused the whistle to blow continuously for some time. The noise created not a little excitement among the residents who knew not whence it came.

—A Raines law inspector is in town.

—The annual gathering of the Vocal Society will be held at Music Hall, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The reports of the officers will be rendered and an hour socially spent. The society will render Handel's cantata "Acis and Galatea," assisted by Miss Myrta French, soprano; John J. Young, tenor, and C. Judson Bushnell, bass.

—"Roxey" Hurley, an old time horse trainer who was associated with the Stony Ford stud years ago, now a resident of Round Top, N. J., was in town yesterday.

—S. S. Merritt and family will soon remove from this place to Newark.

—The Erie pay car arrived in town this morning.

Dancing at Midway To-morrow.

In connection with the target excursion of the Lincoln Club, of Paterson, this well known organization will have dancing at the Park, to-morrow afternoon, commencing at 1 o'clock. Music will be furnished by the 24th Separate Co. orchestra, and to assure comfort to the dancers the pavilion will be enclosed.

Heavy Travel on the O. and W. To-day

The O. and W. rail excursion drew a large crowd to New York, to-day. No 8 had twelve cars and there will be fourteen on No. 2, this afternoon.

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Had Four Fingers Cut at the Summit.

Darius Phillips, a brakeman on Conductor Corwin's way freight, had four fingers badly cut while coupling cars at the Summit, this morning. Dr. Schultz, who attended him, thinks that the fingers will all be saved. He went to his home at Port Jervis.

To Form a Chorus Choir.

All singers of the city are requested to meet at the First Congregational Church, this evening, at 8 o'clock, to form a chorus choir to aid in the union services to be conducted by Evangelist W. E. Goil.

In His New Home.

Thomas H. Desmond has removed into his new home on Cantrell street. It is a very handsome building and one well calculated to add to the city's beauty.

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In pursuance of an order of the Surrogate of the county of Orange, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Amanda Moore, late of the city of Middletown, in said county, deceased, that they are required to present the same, with the proper vouchers thereof, to the subscribers the administrator and administratrix of the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, at their place of residence, in the city of Middletown, on or before the 27th day of October next.

Dated April 16th, 1897.

WILLIAM P. MOORE, } Administrators.
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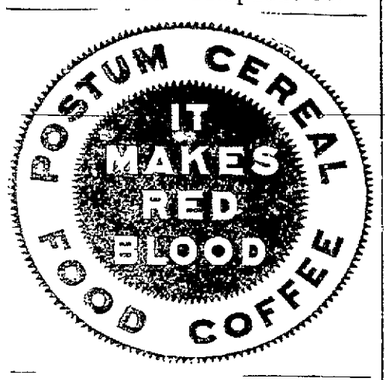

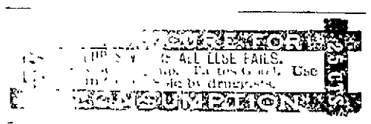

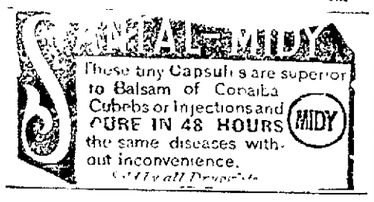
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We tread short and fast and slow
Over the hills beyond, the valleys above and what,
With flake on flake of clouds across them
brown and purple asleep at our feet.

There lads and maids on a Sunday met and
strolled them, two and two,
The leaves they lived in a roof o'erhead
and only the sun peered through
And there was time to say a rare rose and
time for the woodbird's call,
And plenty of time to study a stream and
harken its ripple and fall

Is there no road now to Leisurely Lane?
(God knows we have hurried afar!)
There was once a lamp through the brooding dusk, and over the tree a star,
There was once a breath of the clover
bloom (sweet Heaven, we have buried so long!)
And there was a gate by a white rose clasped, and out of the dusk a song

That song . . the echo is strange and
sweet, the voice it is weak and old,
It hath no part with this fierce, wild rush
and this hard, mad fight for gold!
It hath no part with the clamor and din,
and the jarring of wheel and stone!
Oh, listen, my heart, and forget—forget
that we reap the bread we have sown!

Is there no road now to Leisurely Lane—
where, lingering, one by one,
The summoning bells of twilight time over
the meadows blown
May find us strolling our homeward way,
glad of the evening star?
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—Virginia Woodward Cloud, in Ladies' Home Journal.

IN THE GRIP ∴ ... OF A GRIZZLY.

The Unpleasant Experience of a California Sheep Herder.

"NOW that you've all told your stories about the meanness and orneriness of the coyote," said John Johnson Bleeker, a mountain herder in the San Bernardino mountains of California in a company of ranchmen at the store over at Warner's Springs the other evening, "I have a little on that subject to say myself. I owe my life to a pack of coyotes up in Kern county, and from all that I can learn they are the same as all others of the coyote family. In 1873 I was teaching a district school in San Diego county, and was all run down in health and spirits. When the long summer vacation came on, I had an invitation from my brother Ned to come and spend the summer at his ranch in the mountains in Kern county. I accepted, and went there on mule back because there were no railroads in southern California then.

"The second day I was at my brother's ranch. We went out for a week of hunting in the mountains. We were armed with the best rifles, and our horses carried a big lot of ammunition and camp stores. Ned soon tired of hunting, and after we had tumbled over two wildcats and several antelope he wanted to get back to his horse, sheep and vineyards. He told me that the upper mountain canyons were full of big game and that he knew from the loss of several calves and pigs that summer there were bears in the heavy timber. That was enough to excite my best endeavors with a rifle, and I stayed in the mountains while Brother Ned went down to his ranch. For a week more I got nothing more than a deer, several antelopes, and for the sake of getting rid of the mean varmints, I shot a dozen or so coyotes.

"I spent one night in a camp of a few miners, who were washing gold in a canyon, and the next morning when I rode away one of them advised me to keep meat to their camp, for they had seen the day before grizzly bear tracks in the mud about the springs two miles away. I laughingly assured the miners that I took pride in my marksmanship and was naturally cautious and cool, so I thought no harm could come to me. Along about noon that day I shot a buck some 200 yards from me, and as it wounded animal bounded away in the heavy chaparral I drove my spurs in, mounted and gave chase. It was easy to follow the buck because it left a trail of blood stains on the ground and on the brush as it bounded along. I rode on down the mountain slope perhaps a quarter of a mile, and then suddenly, struck down the mountain. At so, following it I came out to the edge of the canyon with very rough and heavy underbrush. Just as I entered I saw caught in the edge of the overturned trunk of a enormous tree, which had appeared within several months before, turning out a huge mound of clay with its roots. The trail of blood showed that the deer had leaped over the trunk, but my horse was no jumper, and I began hastily circling around the tree. As I turned the angle of the clay mound at its root, with a vicious snort an enormous grizzly sprang up erect out of the shadows and faced me with jaws open. This apparition and the sudden 'squatting' of my horse occupied one second. Before the next second was over my horse had jumped about 15 feet, I should think. I had gone over his back in a curve, turning somersaults before I struck the ground. My gun had gone clear over the grizzly's head and lay on the other side of him, and there I was with my leg broken above the knee.

"Isn't it queer what funny things you will think of in some awful moment of sorrow or suspense? I lay there, trying to imagine whether Ned would find enough of my bones to accord me decent burial when he came to search for me. I was absolutely feeling in my pocket a little dizzily for a pencil and paper, so that I could write a few words, when the grizzly came, smelled me over two or three times, and at last took hold of my left shoulder and began to drag me. Then the pain in my broken leg and my tortured shoulder overcame me and I went off into blissful unconsciousness. When I began to find myself again the loud bowling, deep growling and screams of rage startled me back into the world. I found the grizzly standing over me, while all around, not more than 20 yards away were great gaunt, hungry coyotes. They had gathered in great numbers and I saw in a moment what had saved my life thus far. They were afraid to venture upon the bear while he held his prey, and he could not begin ripping up his captive while they stood around strong in numbers and emboldened by famine. Whenever the grizzly put his head down to take hold of me, the coyotes instantly began to crowd nearer, whereupon he raised his head with a warning growl, and they fled to a safer distance. This occurred not once or twice but a dozen times. The very fact that I am here to-day, gentlemen, is due to a gang of coyotes that would have torn me into a good many fragments if they could have had their way.

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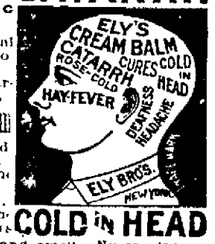

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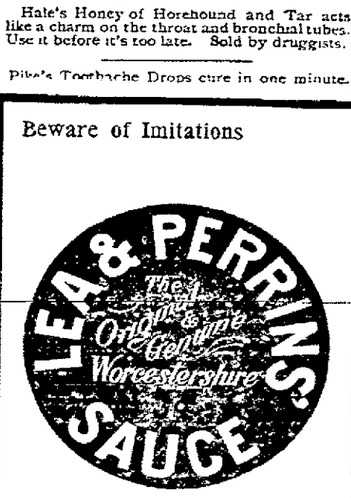

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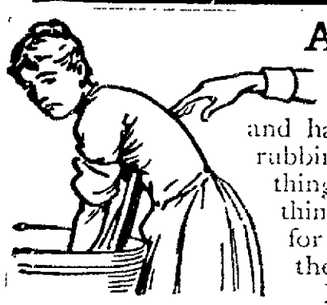

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Mr. Spatts—They are qualified to become members of the senate, at all events.

"Why do you make a distinction between the senate and the house of representatives?"

"Because I think that women senators could give away the secrets of the executive sessions quite as well as the men."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Wide Awake.

First Burglar—It's no use tryin' dat place t'-night, Bill. De man an' his wife went in 'bout an hour ago, an' I heerd him tell he'd buy her a di'mond necklace to-morrer.

Second Burglar—What's dat got t' do wid it?

First Burglar—Plenty! She won't be able t' sleep fer t'inkin' 'bout it, an' he won't sleep fer t'inkin' how he's got t' pay fer it.—Puck.

One Way to Tell.

"Mamma," said little Frances, "if you were to meet a black cat in a dark room at night, how could you tell which was cat and which was darkness?"

"Why, Frances, I don't think you could tell at all."

"Oh, yes you could, mamma."

"How?"

"By rubbing up against it."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

A Financial Genius.

She—Mr. Uptown has bought his wife a diamond ring that cost $600. What extravagance!

He—No extravagance about it. On the contrary, he will save money by it. She will not need any new gloves as long as she has that ring.—Tammany Times.

Teddie's Idea.

Little Teddie—Did our baby come right to us from Heaven?

His Mamma—Yes, darling; right straight down.

Little Teddie—I guess he must 'a' lit on his feet and that's what makes him cowlegged, then.—Cleveland Leader.

Making the Best of It.

Mr. Crusty (from above)—Eugenie, is that young man that it's 11 o'clock? The Young Man (gratefully)—Now it's what I call real nice in your father. The last car leaves at one. Do you think he'd mind keeping an eye out for it?—N. Y. Journal.

Hard Luck.

"I had awful hard luck," said the crook to his companion in Sing Sing. "I spent a month getting the signature of a reputed millionaire down fine, and then when I had his check ready the darn fool went into bankruptcy."—Harper's Life.

How to Talk.

Young Politician—Through what papers do you think I can best lay my views before the people in educating them to my theories?

Old-Timer—What's the matter with your hat?—Detroit Free Press.

He Had It.

Doctor—Mr. Enpeck, I fear your case is grave.

Mr. Enpeck—That doesn't surprise me. She has been giving me a piece of it every day for ten years.—Up-to-Date.

Convincing Proof.

Visitor—Do you believe in heredity?

Cholly—Sure thing! There's my governor, for example. He's in love with the same soubrette I adored when I was his age.—N. Y. Journal.

Procrastination.

"There are as good fish in the sea," Ah, yes, so says the olden tale; But I've lost long, your fate 'twill be To find your bait has grown too stale —Brooklyn Life

THEY SCRAPPED A LITTLE.

Jimmy Cumso—Did Jupiter and Mars and the rest of them fight very often, pa?

Pa Cumso—Not that I know of. What made you ask that?

"I read something about the mad dog gods."—N. Y. World.

Time for a Halt.

Fair woman may as manly be
As any chap in town;
But when she tries to climb a tree,
It's time to call her down
—Indianapolis Journal

Collaborators.

Young Doctor (on a visit)—Are there many doctors in this town, sonny?

Bootblack—You'd think so if you knew how many undertakers dere was here.—Judge.

The Other Side.

He—It seems to me that a bashful lover is about the most pitiful object in the world.

She—How about the girl?—Chicago Journal.

An Indispensable Proviso.

Dick—There's nothing like plutocracy to console one in misfortune.

Wick—Yes, provided, of course, it's some other man's misfortune.—Brooklyn Life.

The Reason Why.

She—Why do they always say there's a man in the moon?

He—Because a woman never becomes as old as the moon.—Yonkers Statesman.

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.

For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

14—Wickham Ave., cor. Prince, O. & W. R. R.
15—North street and Low avenue, hat shops.
16—North St. and Wisner Ave., type shop.
17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
23—Wickham avenue, corner Liberty street.
24—West Main street and Wallkill avenue.
25—North street, corner Wickham avenue.
26—James and Henry streets.
27—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
28—Lake avenue and West street.
29—W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue.
213—State Hospital (Erie).
214—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
215—Rear of State Hospital.
34—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
35—High and Hanford streets.
36—Canal street, condensery.
37—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
38—Fairview avenue and South street.
41—Fulton street and East avenue.
42—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
43—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
45—East Main street, foot of Orchard street.
46—Academy avenue and Conning street.
47—Myrtle and Prospect avenue.
48—Grant street and Sprague avenues.
49—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
54—North street, near Orchard.
57—Franklin Square.
21—Runs before a box number, denotes that a test is being made.

1 stroke denotes circuit broken.
2-2-2 strokes of bell denotes Chief's call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
4 strokes of bell denotes recall, fire is out.

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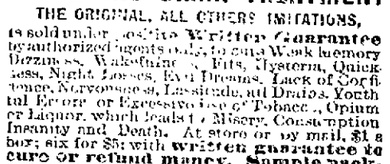

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Time Table in Effect Sept. 20th, 1897.

NORTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	Miles	11 * Ont'o Day Exp		27 Local	7 Sull'v'n Co Exp		5 * Chicago Limited
		A M	P M		P M		P M
N. Y. Le ve		8 30	7 40	.....	3 00	.....	5 45
Franklin St.		8 30	7 45	.....	3 05	.....	5 45
W. 42d St.,		8 35	7 55	.....	3 15	.....	6 15
Weehawken		4 05	8 10	.....	3 40	.....	6 21
Cornwall		4 30	9 15	.....	5 05	.....	7 50
(1 hr the life		22 49	5 53	.....	5 37	.....	.....
Ort's Mills		5 05	9 55	.....	5 47	.....	.....
Little Britain		5 10	10 05	.....	5 52	.....	.....
Burnside		5 30	10 26	.....	6 13	.....	.....
Campbell Hall		7 05	10 22	.....	5 40	.....	8 19
Stony Ford		7 15	10 32	.....	15 41	.....	.....
M'town							
Main St.		7 58	11 43	.....	6 28	.....	.....
M'town ar.		8 05	11 45	.....	6 35	.....	8 35
M'town lv.		8 45	1 57	.....	*	.....	8 45
Winterton		9 10	11 9	.....	6 30	.....	.....
Bloom'g'bgh		9 21	12 15	.....	6 41	.....	.....
Wurtsboro		9 36	11 29	.....	6 56	.....	.....
Summitville		9 55	11 39	.....	7 10	.....	.....
Ellenville ar		10 01	11 50	.....	7 20	.....	.....
Fallsburgh		10 32	12 05	.....	7 50	.....	.....
Hurleyville		10 53	12 12	.....	8 00	.....	.....
Ferndale		11 15	12 32	.....	8 28	.....	.....
Liberty		11 30	12 49	.....	8 44	.....	9 50
Parksville		11 45	12 40	.....	8 55	.....	.....
Livingston Mnr		12 00	12 53	.....	9 08	.....	10 13
Rockland		12 15	1 08	.....	8 20	13	.....
Cadosia		1 29	2 00	.....		A M	10 59
Walton		2 10	2 45	.....	12 45	6 05	11 32
Maywood		.....	3 14	.....	1 10	6 55	.....
Sidney		.....	3 41	11	1 30	7 12	12 15
N'rwich ar		.....	4 21	A M	2 05	7 55	1 05
N'rwich lv		.....	4 35	7 30	P M	8 05	1 15
Castle		.....	5 06	9 10	.....	10 02	2 12
Oneida ar		.....	6 10	9 15	.....	A M	2 17
Oneida lv		.....	6 15	9 20	.....	.....	2 17
Fulton		.....	7 57	10 15	.....	.....	3 13
Oswego ar		.....	8 50	11 20	.....	.....	3 50
			P M	P M		P M	A M

SOUTH BOUND.

STATIONS.	6 * New York Exp	12 *	50 Local	14 Del-hi Ex	2 N Y Bay Exp	42 Nor'wich Exp	
	A M	P M	A M		A M	P M	P M
Oswego lv	11 20	.....	7 15	.....	6 45	2	.....
Oneida ar		12 32	8	.....	6 46	5 05	.....
Oneida lv	12 50	.....	1 15	P M	8 53	5 25	.....
Castle		.....	1 0	.....	8 59	5 30	.....
Norwich ar	2 09	.....	6 15	6 48	10	6 45	7 15
Norwich lv	2 14	.....	P M	6 47	10	42 P	M .....
Sidney	3 03	.....	.....	7 50	11 40	.....	.....
Maywood	.....	.....	.....	8 02	11 57	.....	.....
Walton	3 50	12 15	A M	8 40	1	37	.....
Cadosia	4 21	1 30	8	P M	1	20	.....
Rockland	.....	2 38	6 00	.....	2	10	.....
Liv'gst'n Mnr	5 07	3 09	6 14	.....	2	25	.....
Parksville	.....	3 16	6 25	.....	2	37	.....
Liberty	5 20	3 25	6 36	.....	2	51	.....
Ferndale	.....	3 41	6 41	.....	n2	56	.....
Hurleyville	.....	4 01	6 56	.....	3	06	.....
Fallsburgh	.....	4 19	6 57	.....	3	14	.....
Centreville	.....	4 40	7 14	.....	n3	30	.....
Mount'n D.	.....	4 50	7 10	.....	n3	25	.....
Summitville	.....	5 10	7 26	.....	3	45	.....
Wurtsboro	.....	5 20	7 33	.....	n3	52	.....
Bloom'g'bgh	.....	5 28	7 38	.....	3	57	.....
Winterton	.....	5 21	7 43	.....	n4	02	.....
M'town ar	6 33	5 55	8 07	.....	4	20	.....
M'town lv	6 43	6 20	8 10	.....	4	30	.....
Main St.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stony Ford	.....	6 22	9 12	.....	4	32	.....
Campb'll H.	.....	6 39	8 25	.....	11	46	.....
Burnside	.....	7 5	8 31	.....	4	52	.....
Little Brit'n	.....	7 12	8 37	.....	11	57	.....
Ort's Mills	.....	7 16	8 46	.....	15	08	.....
Firthcliffe	.....	7 26	8 56	.....	15	18	.....
Cornwall	7 33	7 34	9 02	.....	5	25	.....
Weehawken	8 45	11 00	10 30	.....	7	00	.....
New York	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
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	P M	P M	A M		P	M	.....

* Runs daily, all other trains daily except Sunday.

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s Signifies that trains will stop for or to leave New York passengers only.

* Stop for meals.

Trains leave Cadosia 6 10 a m and 2 05 p m. for Scranton, Carbondale and intermediate stations.

Trains leave Scranton 10 55 a. m. and 4 15 p m for Cadosia.

Trains leave Summitville for Ellenville 9 40 and 11 30 a m, 3 50 and 6 0 p m

Trains leave Ellenville for Summitville 7 00 and 10 50 a m, 3 10 and 5 50 p m

Trains leave Delhi for Walton 7 20 and 11 00 a m, 1 3 a m 5 0 p m Sunday only 9 35 a m and 2 15 p m

Trains leave Walton for Delhi 10 a m, 2 35, 5 45 p m Sunday only 9 35 a m and 2 15 p m.

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New York Ferries	Daily a m	Daily p m	Daily ex Sun. p m	Sat Only p m	Sun. Only p m
West 23d St	8 25	...	3 35	7 25	12 35
Cortlandt and Dey					
Brosses Street	8 30		3 40	7 30	12 40
Jersey City	8 46	..	3 55	7 45	12 55
Hackensack	9 21	..	4 30	8 15	1 30
Paterson (Broadway)	9 32	..	4 42	8 26	1 42
Paterson	9 32		4 42	8 26	1 42
Two Bridges	10 55	2 50	6 7	9 50	3 20
Cuddebackville	11 07	3 03	6 20	10 03	3 33
Franklin	11 12	3 08	6 25	10 08	3 38
Hamburg	11 20	3 15	6 33	10 15	3 45
Beckertown	11 28	3 23	6 41	10 23	3 53
Quarryville	11 36	3 32	6 50	10 32	4 02
Unionville	11 44	3 40	6 58	10 40	4 10
Westtown	11 49	4 15	7 33	10 45	4 15
Johnson	11 55	4 21	7 39	10 51	4 21
Slate Hill	12 00	4 25	7 44	10 56	4 25
Middletown	12 12	4 50	7 45	11 08	4 50

	South Daily except Sunday a m	Daily p m
Middletown	8 00	2 40
Slate Hill	8 12	2 52
Johnson	8 18	2 58
Westtown	8 25	3 05
Unionville	8 30	3 10
Quarryville	7 06	3 47
Beckertown	7 11	3 51
Hamburg	6 47	7 52	3 46	6 00
Franklin Junction		7 57	3 51	
Franklin	6 53	7 59	3 56	6 07
Cuddebackville	6 58	7 04	4 01	6 12
Two Bridges	7 10	7 16	4 13	6 24
Paterson City		7 03	9 27	7 15
Paterson (Broadway)	8 15	9 05	10 36	7 18
Hackensack	8 26	9 16	10 47	8 01
Jersey City	8 48	9 38	11 12	8 27
New York Ferries—				
Cortlandt and Dey Brosses street	9 03	9 53	11 2	8 38
West 23d street	9 10	10 10	11 10	8 45

f—Stop on signal. *—Will not run on Saturdays. 1—Saturdays to Sept. 11th The Beckertown Express leaves New York 4:55 p. m., daily, except Saturdays, arriving at Beckertown at 7.55. Returning leaves Beckertown 6:58 a. m., reaching New York at 9.03, West 23d St. 9.10.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given to all persons interested in the matter of the assessment for the First avenue sewer that a hearing will be given at the Common Council Rooms, Times Building, corner King and Center streets, Middletown, N. Y., on Monday evening, Oct. 25, 1897, at 8 o'clock, to all persons feeling aggrieved, and that said assessment roll may be examined without charge until that date.

By order of Common Council.

C. E. MANCE, Pres.
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TIME TABLE ADOPTED JUNE 27, '97.

Eastern Time.	17	21	1	9	11	38	5	26	16	28	38	6	30	2	8	22	14	Sun. Spec'l 620	Sun. Spec'l 600	18
Arrive																				
Leave	A M	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M
NEW YORK	7:00	7:45	9:00																	
Paterson		8:33																		
Turners		9:53																		
Monroe		9:57																		
Graycourt	5:57	10:08																		
Chester	6:01	10:11																		
Goshen	6:17	10:19																		
Middletown	6:44	10:36	10:50																	
Howells	7:02	10:44																		
Otisville	7:21	10:54																		
Port Jervis	7:55	11:15																		
Ar. East Time Lv.	A M	A M	A M	A M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M	P M
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CHICAGO																				

*Daily. †Sundays only. ‡Except Sunday. b. Stops for passengers to Binghamton and beyond. c—Stops for passengers for Honesdale and beyond.

Middletown & Crawford Branch—Leave Main St., Middletown, for Pine Bush at 11:10 a. m. and 6:55 p. m. daily

Montgomery Branch—Leave Goshen for Montgomery at 7:27 a. m., daily except Sunday; 11:20 a. m. daily, 5:28 p. m., daily except Sunday

Pine Island Branch—Leave Goshen for Pine Island at 11:20 a. m. daily; 6:33 p. m. daily except Sunday. Leave Goshen for Deckertown 8:00 a. m. and 6:35 p. m., daily except Sunday.

Newburgh, via Turners—Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m., daily, except Sunday; 10:53 a. m., daily; 9:00 p m. daily; 9:15 p. m., Sunday only. Train 30 and 2 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m., daily except Sunday; 11:10 a. m., daily; 1:28 and 6:19 p. m. daily, except Sunday; 5:37 p. m., Sun. only.

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Thirty years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Mitchell, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally effective in eczema and all skin affections. W. D. Olney.

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NEWBURGH SAVINGS BANK ASSESSMENT.

Argument on the Application for a Writ of Certiorari Heard by Judge Hirschberg.

The application of the Newburgh Savings Bank for a writ of certiorari for the review of the action of Newburgh's assessor in placing the surplus of the bank on the assessment roll was heard before Judge Hirschberg, Saturday.

Corporation Counsel Waring claimed that the Sullivan county town bonds held by the bank, $53,000, of which were issued by Mamakating, $50,000 by Fallsburgh and $25,000 by Thompson, were not bonds issued in aid of railroad construction and therefore exempt from taxation, but were, instead, bonds issued in refunding debts of the towns. He also argued that the officers of the Savings Bank having refused to comply with the law requiring them to furnish the assessor with a statement of its assets, there was but one course for the assessor, to take the published statement and make it the basis of his assessment.

Judge Brown, who appeared for the bank, spoke for an hour reviewing all acts ever passed by the legislature concerning savings banks and their rights, going back to 1819, when the first bank was organized. In none of them was there any attempt made to tax the deposits, as they were not property of the bank as an institution, but were subject to the call of the owners. The government bonds were exempt by law. Of that there can be no doubt. Bonds issued to retire bonds previously issued by municipalities for railroad purposes are also exempt. So is the banking house. The law stipulates that all monies received for interest should be paid to depositors, except that an amount not exceeding fifteen per cent. of the deposits may be reserved as a surplus. This is held to pay any shortage that may ensue from the bonds purchased as an investment depreciating in value. Every three years, if there is a surplus exceeding 15 per cent. of the deposits, the excess must be awarded among depositors. Bonds as a part of the bank effects must be taken at par value, for if the bank retains them until due, which it invariably does, the face value only is recieved. There is but one decision that permits of the assessing of surplus, and that was made by Judge Earl in the last year of his term, when he was about to retire on account of the age limit fixed by law, which, remarked Judge Brown, shows the wisdom of the body who took this view of the ability of a man at that age to render judicial opinions. He considered the case point by point and finally presented the case to the court for its consideration.

Judging from the exceptions taken as the case has progressed it will be appealed no matter what the decision may be. The case is being watched with great interest throughout the State and it will be referred to in future years in considering similar matters before a judicial tribunal.

DEERPARK'S RAILROAD DEBT.

The Bonds Issued Thirty Years Ago Will Mature in February Next.

The $200,000 of bonds issued by the town of Deerpark, thirty years ago, in aid of the construction of the Monticello railroad mature next February. It is proposed to refund them by issuing bonds maturing in such annual installments that by continuing to raise $14,000 annually the amount now necessary for interest, the debt can be provided for without needlessly oppressing the people of the town. The mistake made in issuing thirty year, seven per cent. bonds has cost Deerpark many thousands of dollars, the interest payments, $120,000 being more than double the amount of the original debt.

A CHANGE OF BOSSES.

Jim Brazee, of Long Island, Takes the Reins in the First Ward.

Jim Brazee, of Long Island, who is still supposed to have some influence in the First Ward, owing to the fact that he continues to draw his salary as Supervisor, has been superseded by Assemblyman Bedell to supplant Scott Cook, who has not proved a success in that ward. Mr. Brazee so thoroughly frightened [illegible] and to the spectator, his money ought to do it.

It is safe to wager, however, that he will not run to [illegible] of his losing [illegible] Ward, even with Boss Brazee [illegible] can give.

SLATE HILL BAPTIST CHURCH.

Services Were Held There Sunday Morning Which Were Well Attended.

For the first time in three months the old school Baptist Church at Slate Hill, which is 105 years old, was thrown open for services. Elder Hubbell occupied the pulpit.

The church was filled, among those present being several from this city.

Montgomery's New Postmaster.

John F. Wilkin has been appointed postmaster at Montgomery.

Its Worst Form

"My daughter has been troubled with catarrh since she was four years old. She had the disease in its worst form and took medicines with no permanent relief. She finally began taking Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills and after a while the disagreeable symptoms entirely disappeared." M. W. SILSBY, Hartland, N. Y.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver tonic. Gentle, reliable, sure.

Clean, fragrant, reliable, inexpensive, and absolutely harmless,

Allcock's Porous Plasters

fully meet the requirements of a household remedy, and should always be kept on hand. Beware of imitations.

BEFORE THE RECORDER.

A Busy Morning That Netted the City $30 in Fines—The Lord-Force Chicken Case — A Coal Stealer Sent to Jail — Sam Beasley Will Get His Money.

This morning was a busy one for Recorder Barnes and the police force. The city took in $30 as a result of the session of recorder's court and a coal stealer went to Goshen jail for 30 days.

The first case on the calendar was that of Leon Lord against George E. Force. It arose through a choking which Force gave Lord, when the latter sought to secure some chickens which Force was keeping for Mrs. Lord. The trial was full of humorous incidents. Samples of testimony given will amuse.

Mr. Force—"Lord walked sixty-four feet from the gate to my woman where him and her stood and chewed the rag to beat the band."

Mrs. Force—"I said to him 'my dear man, you can't take the chickens unless you pay $1 50 for their keep,' and he replied, 'my dear woman I'll pay you in a few days.'"

George W. Powers appeared for the defendant and he argued strongly for his client. Recorder Barnes, however, discussed the evidence and fined Force $5. The latter got the money and placing it upon the recorder's desk said.

"I want a receipt in full for that."

The Recorder—"The books will show that you have paid it."

Mr. Force—"I demand a receipt."

The Recorder—"You don't get it. You are discharged."

Mr. Force, turning to a reporter.

"I want to say to you that there will be trouble for you if you call me 'Rodney' in your paper again."

Capt. Veber—Go out. Force, you're discharged."

BAD BOYS FINED.

Three boys from this city and two from Goshen were arrested, this morning, for making a disturbance at Wickham avenue and North street, Saturday night. All pleaded guilty and were fined $5 each and discharged with a warning after the money was paid.

SENT TO GOSHEN JAIL

Patrick Moore, who has stolen coal from the O. and W. on two occasions, was sent to Goshen jail for thirty days.

SKIPPED WITH SAM'S MONEY.

Samuel Sherman, who has been driving a 'bus for Samuel Beasley, skipped away, last week, with some of Beasley's money. He was arrested, Saturday, in Poughkeepsie, and Officer Wood brought him to this city. He owned up, this morning, to taking $7.75 and agreed to refund it. A man went security for him and he was discharged after paying the court costs.

Continuing to Shoot Skunks at Pine Bush.

The number of skunks in Pine Bush shows no signs of reduction. The animals are being killed at frequent intervals. This morning one was shot in Engineer Mintram's barn. A "skunk bee" is talked of for some moonlight night in the near future.

Do you scratch and scratch, and wonder what's the matter? Doan's Ointment will instantly relieve and permanently cure any itchy disease of the skin, no matter of how long standing.

Cascarets stimulate liver, kidneys and bowels. Never sicken, weaken or grip. Ten cents.

LOOK!

Big Cut in Bicycles!

1 Dayton, 1 Waverly, 1 Orient, all new 1897 $100 models at $50 each, only one of each left.

Second-hand Wheels—1 Ladies' Waverly, '97 model, nearly new $30; 1 '97 Tempest, nearly new, $35; 1 '96 Pierce, $100 model, $30; 1 '96 Gordon, $30; 1 Rambler Racer, $20; 1 Eagle $25 1 Fowler, $25; 1 Credenda, $10. All in good condition.

☞Repairing a Specialtty.☜

C. L. SWEZY,

24 North St., Middletown.

To Join Her Husband at Spokane, Wash.

Mrs John Creesey and three children left, to-day, for Spokane, Wash., where Mr. Creesey is employed in woodwork. There was a number of ladies at the station to bid them farewell.

ONE CENT A WORD

for each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

BILLINGS' Tonsorial Parlor, under Press office. Expert workmen, no waiting. Special attention given to hair cutting. It

CLAIRVOYANT—PROF. W. H. SAGENDORF will return to Middle own Oct. 15th and remain one week at Wm. S. Roe's, 37 James street. 52d&wtf

EXTRACTING with gas 50c., odontunder 50c. No charge for extracting when artificial teeth are to be inserted. Best teeth $6, $8 and $10 a set. Twenty years' experience. 9d&wtf DR. ROBINSON, 44 and 46 James St.

The Advertiser's Handy Guide for 1897-'98.

The Lyman D. Morse Advertising Agency of New York city, whose reputation among advertisers and publishers is world wide, has just issued the thirteenth annual edition of its "Advertisers' Handy Guide," (Size 4x6½, over one inch in thickness and contains 789 pages, price $2.) It contains in condensed form all the information considered essential by an advertiser.

This feature (compactness) together with a reputation for accuracy in its ratings have made this book a standard work, and it is to be found on the desks of all the leading advertisers of the United States and Europe. In it will be found a list of the leading papers, magazines and other periodicals of the United States and Canada, arranged in alphabetical order by States and towns stating the politics, day of issue, circulation and other desirable information.

In addition to the general list of daily and weekly papers will be found special lists of class publications grouped under the following heads, Magazines and Mechanical Journals, Agricultural and Religious papers and those published in foreign languages.

This admirable compilation is very valuable to advertisers and reflects great credit on the Lyman D. Morse Advertising Agency, whose offices are at 45 Park Row, New York. 1td&w

VERY NICE.

BAIRD'S GENUINE OLD-FASHIONED

Horehound Candy Cough Drops!

20 CTS. A POUND.

J. ERSKINE MILLS,

Druggist, North Street

6 Cents a Pound FOR PORK.

$11.00 Per Barrel.

SLOAT'S Cash Store.

MRS. A. I. KROM, Clairvoyant—Treating the sick and telling the future and past, personally or from a lock of hair. Best of recommendations. Office hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Central Building, corner North street and Railroad avenue, Middletown. 1mssNov19

DON'T PAY RENT when you can buy a home with $5 monthly payments same as rent, Wawayanda avenue. MERRILL & BURKE, Attorneys, No. 57 North street. dtf

WATCHES, Clocks, jewelry, Sterling silver novelties, odd pieces in solid silver, tea spoons, coffee spoons, emblem pins and badges at right prices. Call and examine before purchasing elsewhere. A. M. AMBLER'S Jewelry Store, No. 50 North street next to Press office. 26d&wly Aug21,98

WANTED—Ladies to remember that you swore off on having your shoes repaired with nails. It makes them stiff and heavy. CRAIG sews on the soles, which makes your shoes feel flexible. The cost is no more.

CHAMBERS, the Druggist, sells Lucas Paint, in pound cans, ready for use. Just the thing for painting flower pots and numerous other small articles about the house—23 beautiful shades, also white and black, 15c a can; four very high colors 20c. Try them. Sold and guaranteed by JOHN J. CHAMBERS, Druggist, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

WE ARE READY—Old furniture made new, all kinds cabinet work, upholstering, old mattresses made over, carpets fitted and laid, repairing of all kinds, goods packed for shipment also pattern making. Residence and shop corner Liberty street and Wallkill avenue. 76d1mNov21 AUGUSTUS EITH

READ OUR CASH PRICES—Sausage 10c., Sirloin Steak 16c., Porterhouse Steak 17 and 18c., Shoulder Steak 10c., Pork Steak 9 and 10c. Other meats in proportion at 75d1moNov20 KOCH'S Market, John street.

COWS—COWS—I will have another car load of cows Friday morning, Oct. 29th. 1:2d&w S. GIVEANS.

NEW TO-DAY.

Minute Tapioca and Instantaneous Gelatine.

Both easily and quickly prepared and delicious.

B. F. TODD,

121 North St., Middletown.

MONEY LIKE WATER

Will find its level before its force is spent, by that we mean a dollar will go where it covers the largest amount of PURCHASE. The level of YOUR PROSPERITY is in OUR PRICES.

Men's Mixed Socks.

Good weight and seamless, 6c A PAIR.

Men's Merino Socks,

Gray and camel hair color, 12c A PAIR

Men's Black Cashmere Socks,

A 25c quality, Economy price 19 CTS.

Ladies' Combination Suits

of heavy fleeced Egyptian cotton, good value at $1 25, but here 89 CTS.

A better one, natural gray, part wool, usually $1.39 to $1.50, our price $1 25.

A Money Saver for Men,

from recent large sales of Men's Underwear. We have a lot of Shirts and Drawers that were 65c to $1 in value, which we will close out on account of broken assortment at 50c EACH.

Some Special Bargains.

Good Gingham Aprons 10 CENTS.
Good White Aprons 10 CENTS.
Long Stripe White Aprons 19 CENTS
Large White Aprons, with 4 inch insertion of embroidery, 22 CENTS.

Economize at the

Economy Store, 118 North St.

78d3t

HELP WANTED.

WANTED—First-class Nursery Agent for Orange county. Good trade established, good pay, permanent. Write 77d6t ELLWANGER & BARRY, Rochester, N. Y.

AGENTS Get fifty cents on each dollar; no experience necessary. Write for agent's outfit. Address THE CATHOLIC NEWS, d9,16,23,30 5 Barclay street, New York.

CHAMBERS, the Druggist, will sell you a two-quart Fountain Syringe, with three hard rubber pipes and extra long tubing, for 75 cents. They are fully guaranteed at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

DR. F. N. FRIEND, Dentist, office corner North and King Sts., Middletown. Entrance on King St. Dental work of all kinds. Gas administered. dlySep4'98

MISS JULIA MYERS will open a Dancing Class at the Assembly Rooms, Tuesday, Oct. 26. Afternoons 4 to 6, evenings 8 to 10. Terms $5 for twelve lessons d11,14 18,25

THE Klondike isn't in it with the bargains in second-hand goods at LOEVEN'S Storage House, 21 Monhagen avenue 78dly Oct23,98

ROOMS to Let 61 Prospect avenue. Low rent this winter. 78d3t

A BUSINESS EDUCATION — Railway and Commercial Systems practically taught—Stenography, typewriting and telegraphy, school of commerce No. 47 Washington street, Middletown, N. Y. Day and evening. Established 1895. 69dly Feb17 J. B. VANGELDER, Principal.

LOWER Part of house, 69 East avenue; lower part of house, with barn, 30 Canal street; lower part of house, with barn, 203 East Main street, for rent. Enquire of P. CUMMINGS, 100 North street, or corner East Ave and Fulton St. 78dtf

SALES OFFICE—Being favorably located, I am asked daily "who wants to buy" or "who has for sale" all kinds of goods. I have quite a list now. Make your wants known and enclose stamp for reply. G. F. HARDING, Wurtsboro.

WILLIAM OTTO BENDER, City Upholster and Awning Maker, with good help, is now ready to take orders for all kinds of work in his line. Over 200 samples of awnings, for private houses and stores, to select from. Residence and factory 15 Knapp Ave., near Wickham. 1yMy19

G. H. WHYTE, Mason and Builder. Jobbing promptly attended to—14 Grove street Middletown N. Y. P. O. Box 452. dtoNov14

MONEY to loan in large sums on improved real estate d11,18,13,22 25 29 VANAMEE & VAIL

WANTED—By women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.) Small wages expected. Railroad fare paid by association. Apply state Charities' Aid Association, 105 East Twenty-second street, New York city 24d&w3tsNov19

PARLOR Stoves—The Bedford and the Dazzle, both first-class heaters and in good condition. Singer sewing machine, low arm, $2 50 Domestic sewing machine, high arm, good, $4 50 EXCHANGE AND MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

TANSY, Pennyroyal and Cotton Root Pills—the ladies' friend. Safe, prompt and reliable. Agent at CHAMBERS' Postoffice Pharmacy, 57 North street, second door from postoffice.

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CHAS. J. KIDD, Jr. 70 Academy avenue—3,000 designs in Wall Paper. Estimates furnished for painting, decorating and hanging 71

JEROME FOLLETTE, Piano and Organ Tuner. Fine tone and action regulating a specialty. All work guaranteed. Orders left at T. B. Dayton's Real Estate Agency, Room 1, Stern's Building, North St., Middletown, N. Y. 92d&w13 Aug28

MUSICAL Instruction on mandolin, piano, violin, guitar, banjo, flute by VINCENT MAGGIO, 88 North street, second floor. d&wly

PAPER Hanging at 12½c a roll; also all kinds of painting. Estimates on all work cheerfully furnished. EMIL MARTINI, dtf Shop 5 Academy Ave

THE stock of Fall and Winter Millinery which we show will prove of exceptional interest to the many who have learned from us that style and quality do not depend on high prices. We now have a full stock of everything for Ladies', Misses and children's headwear. We also have added a nice line of stamped linens and embroidery silks. We can save you money on cloaks and give you elegant styles. Try us. We give Trading Stamps. 5d&wtf MRS. BUSH, 114 North street.

OFFICE OF

Orange County Brewing Company.

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., Oct. 21st, '97.

A limited number of shares of the preferred stock of the above company are hereby offered to the public of Middletown at par value. Said preferred stock to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum GUARANTEED by the company. Said preferred shares may be exchanged for common stock after one year at option of owner. Said stock to be issued and paid for

December 1st, 1897,

at office of said company. Capital stock of said company $100,000, as follows:

700 SHARES OF COMMON STOCK
300 SHARES OF PREFERRED STOCK.
1,000 SHARES AT $100 EACH.

Applications for stock may be made at office of A. V. BOAK, 55 North street, or at office of said company. 78d3t

Having Enlarged Our Market

WE ARE NOW PREPARED TO DO BUSINESS ON A LARGE SCALE!

Both Wholesale and Retail.

Sirloin Steak 14 cents, Round two pounds for 25 cents, Prime Rib 10 and 12½ cents, Legs of Lamb only 12½ cents, Shoulders of Lamb 7 cents, Home-made Sausage 10 cents, Pork 10 and 12 cents, Boneless Roasts 5 and 7 cents, Bologna 10 cents, Frankfurters two pounds for 25 cents.

ONLY CHICAGO BEEF KEPT.

GREENING'S Cash Market, 13 East Main St.

Ask for the horse-shoe brand of fine clothing. It has grown in favor with our customers, and now this label on a garment is known to be a guarantee of satisfaction.

We are showing:

8 STYLES Men's All Wool Suits at $5.00.

The Greatest Value You Ever Saw.

No Other Store CAN DUPLICATE THESE GOODS.

We Want Trade. LOTS OF IT.

300 Pair Men's All Wool Trousers at $1.25!

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Our Store is Chuck Full OF **BARGAINS.**

100 Children's Suits at $1.15, Worth $2.

GIVE US A CALL.

Chas. Wolff's Sons

The Oldest Established and Most Reliable Clothiers in the City, 43 James St., Middletown, N. Y.

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